Queer Act of Raymond Christ- He Attacks Mr. Clevel. 1 man For a Murdress.

GIVES HER HIS OWN NAME, POOR BUSINESS CAPACITY.

Bas Il maelf Appointed Guardian Pardon He Desires.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Dec. 9.-Raymond Christiann, a prominent business male and treshe or the Baptist church and clouded a prest sensation by erectific on his family lot in Green Hill centerary a handpure and costly monument for the contact, Florence

It is inscribed 'Florence Viola Christman erected to the memory of a wronged child, dend to the world, but alive in Chi it '

She shot and killed her lover, Charles Loundry, in this cuy in 1855 453 and is now serving a life sent-nee for the crime in Aubi in prison

Christman has had himself appointed her guard an and given her his name and trying to secure a pardon for her. He claims she is dying with consumption which lead him to erect the monument

A MEMBER OF THE JUNTA. Be Approves of Fresident's Cleveland's

Message About Cuba.

New York, Dec 9 --- At the office of the Cuban junta in this city. Thomas Estrada Palma delegate of the Cuban republic to the United States, gave out a statement in which he expressed his views of the president's message. so far as it related to the Cuban ques-

He sam the message, generally speaking is in a great measure very depressive to Spain as an independent nation as 't declares that Spain has the island.

finally declares, without hesitation, that the prince of the United ice had been conspicuous in the de-States in writing for Spain to end the contest has a limit; that the obligations to the sovereignty of Spain papers. will be superseded by higher obliga-

ANSWERED THE INDICTMENT. A Forger Surrenders Himself After Ten

Years of Riding Buffaio, Dec. 9-A middle-aged man walked into District Attorney Kenefick's office and said. 'I was indicted 16 years ago for forgery. I want to give myself up "

It was Williston \hat{J} Brookins of Hamburg, N V On Oct., 16, 1886. Brookins was indicted by the grand jury for forgery in the second degree and ave indictments were reported to the court.

It is understood that Brookins has made restitution in all these cases He was taken into court and admitted to ball on one indictment. Since it lance or members wa very large when ran away Brookins has been fixing the house met, but the galleties were in the west, where he has prespered, almost desetted. No program had

The Course of Silver Senators. the silver Republican senators in re- was a hurried consultation of Mr. fraiming tiem attendance upon the Dingley and other Republican leaders Republican caucus has led to no little as the result of which it was decided speculation as to whether the course to proceed with the regular orderpursued is a forerunner of the future the call of committees. or whether they will not at some Mr Loud (Rep. Cal), for the comtime return to the party. The silver mittee on postoffices and postroads, senators are very chary about discus- called up a bill to authorize the use sing their motives or intentions for of private mailing cards of the same the future. They decline to talk on weight and form as the postal cards the subject for publication, but from remarks dropped, there can be no affixed. The bill, he said, had been doubt they consider that they have approved by the postoffice depart-

Cuban Question Before Congress.

Washington Dec. 9 -The Cuban question will be forced upon the house committee on foreign affairs again this session. Several of the most enthusiastic friends of the insurgents' "Ause who were disappointed by the failure of the president to take action are drafting resolutions to instruct the president to recognize the belligerency Joint resolutions are the form of action desired from congress by the Cuban enthusiasts, because these demand definite action at the president's hands.

Harper Wheat Deal Recalled.

Cincinnati, Dec 9.-Judge Buchwalter of the court of common pleas gave a default judgment to Irwin. Greene & Company, brokers, of Chicago against E. L. Harper of Fidelity bank fame, for \$671,860. This sum represents the claim of the brokers against Harper at the time his famous wheat dealings with them were stopped by his failure.

New York, Dec. 9.—The throng press companies, but it was passed by which cheered the wheelmen in the 176 to 13 six day international cycling contest in Madison Square Garden were repaid for their hardihood in facing a still wind and a nasty night mist. Teddy Hale, the young son of Erin. had scored his 703d mile and Rye had

and to his credit. Whisky and Chloral.

Orr victim of whisky and chloral, sui- boat company is liable for money or tided by decoming. He was once valuables stolen from a stateroom wealthy but died a mental, physical while the room is actually occupied and in incla! wreck.

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Treatment of Turiff.

The State-man From Perceylands Shows That White the Importations Were Increasing the Petc-

Washington, Dec. 9,-Mr. Grow [Rep. Pa.) the venerable ex-speaker, took advantage of the latitude allowed in denate on an appropriation bill in the house to attack that por- the extreme eastern part of Pinar del non of Mr. Cleveland's message relating to the efforts from a revenue standpoint of the enactment of the present tarifi law.

The denoit for the first year's life of the law, he said, was \$25,000,000; for the second, \$45,000,000 and for the first five months of this year, \$40,976,-

Yet, he said, the president had not seen fit with these large deficits to recommend any measure for the intrease of revenue. The necessity for revenue he argued, could not be denied in the face of the figures submitted by the president himself. It was, he declared. purely a business question. He showed that importations were increasing and the revenues decreasing.

It indicated, he said, a lack of business capacity in the imposition of duties Mr. Grow received a round of applause

In the Seunte.

Washington, Dec. 9.-The senate settled down to business and there were few evidences of the excitement of the opening session. The attendance was small.

When a letter from the secretary of the treasury was read, answering a no control over at least two-thirds of senate inquiry as to the number of aliens in the treasury, Mr. Gallinger President Cleveland, he continues, (Rep., N, H.) remarked that he was glad to observe foreigners whose servpartment had seen ft, as a result of the inquiry to take out naturalization

Many petitions were presented from manufacturing bodies urging the passage of the Dingley bill.

The early opening of a Cuban discussion was foreshadowed by a notice from Mr. Cullom (Rep., Ills.) that on Thursday next he would address the senate on the Cuban question.

The house resolutions relative to the death of ex-Speaker Crisp were then laid before the senate. Mr. Bacon (Dem., Ga.) stated that at a later day ne would ask that a day be set for eulogies on the distinguished Georgian As a mark of respect to the deceased the senate, at 12 25 p. m., adjourned

In the House.

Washington, Dec. 9.-The attendbeen attanged before the house met Washington, Dec. 9 - The action of After the journal had been read there

now in use when a 1-cent stamp is attended their last Republican cau- ment, as it would tend to popularize postal cards, besides effecting a saving to the government of the difference between the cost of the cards and the stamps. The scheme had been successfully put in operation in England, where in six months the number of such cards mailed had increased

from 284 000 000 to 334,000,000 The card bill was passed and takes effect July 1 1897. A bill to provide for limited indemnity for the loss of registered mail matter was called up. It provides an indemnity not to exceed \$10 for any one registered letter, but if of less value not to exceed the actual value This bill was also approved by the postoffice department. Such an indemnity is made by nearly all the foreign countries. The postmaster general (Apressed the opinion that the increased revenue from registered mail matter would more than offset the in-

demnity losses to be paid Mr Loud said that on the basis of last year's statistics the government could have a revenue of \$900,000, with a liability of \$50,000. There was some criticism of the bill on the ground that it trespessed on the rights of the ex-

The Sperry bill was passed--101 to la. The house then took up the pen-

tion appropriation bill Representative Lemmer of Illinois has introduced a bill to prevent con-

spiracies to placklist Lieble For Valuables.

Non York, Dec 9,-1'nder a decis-Mexandria, Ky., Dec 9 -- Dr. Thomas ion of the court of appeals a steamby a passenger

Insurgents Have Passed In the Rear of Spanish.

WEYLER IS OUTGENERALED.

Macro and Comer -- The Exact Whereabouts of Captain General Unknown.

Havana, Dec. 9.-The exact whereabouts of General Weyler is not known, but he is believed to be hunting for Maceo in the mountains in Rio, while the insurgents' chief has seemingly doubled on his tracks, turned the flank of the Spanish general and passed in his rear in the direction of this city, crossing the military line at will, and possibly being by this time in the vicinity of the

capital of Cuba. If Maximo Gomez has carried out the plan attributed to him, that of pushing westward to the support of Maceo, a junction of the two main bodies of the insurgent forces may be

expected shortly. Nothing appears to be known of the strength of the insurgent force with Maceo in this province. There is no doubt that the insurgents have recently increased in number about the capital. The stray bands of 20 to 30 "bandits" met by the Spanish troops have now swollen to the proportions of insurgent forces as 20,000 to 40,000

It is believed that Maceo will strike before Weyler can hurry back from Pinar del Rio.

The Spanish authorities, naturally, are doing all in their power to minimize the crossing of the trocha by Maceo, and intimate that he is running away from the Spanish. This does not alter the fact that he has escaped the hunter and that the hunter may find difficulty in getting

The friends of the insurgents here in the campaign and are boasting that Maceo and Comez will soon be signment was necessary. knocking at the gates of Havana. To this the Spanish officials simply say. "Wait and see, the time is not yet."

Going to Cubs.

Kankakee, Ills., Dec. 9,-A company of 20 young men left for New Orleans, where they will be joined by 60 others from various parts of the United States, and the entire party will ship for Cuba on the first outgoing vessel and will join the insurgents. The party was in command of J. B. Hartman, an ex-regular soldier who served five years in Uncle Sam's service and saw much hard fighting in the Indian campaigns in Western Dakota

Hoosiers Are Coing.

Brazil, Ind., Dec. 9 .- A movement is on foot here to organize a company in this city and Terre Haute to join the Cuban insurgents. One of the terferes they will leave here soon in a Dan Coughlin, a member of the clan, body, otherwise they will go secretly, suicided by shooting.

A Schooner Captured. Kingston Jaarca, Dec. 9. - The schooner Maggie, Captain Miller, was captured off Annott Bay, Jamaica, with arms, ammunition and several

near Mariel, the port at the northern 46c. Oats-23%c extremity. He was accompanied by

Washington, Dec. 9.—The annual report of Hon. James H. Eckels comptroller of the currency, submitted to congress, contains information

Buffalo.

Cattle—Veal crives, light half fat, \$3.50

(3.55, poor to good falt cows, \$2.50(3.25); fair to good bulls, \$2.50(3.50); stockers, comptroller of the currency, submitted to congress, contains information ted to congress, contains information in detail in regard to the organization, supervision, and liquidation of national banks for the year ended Oct. 31, 1896.

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Steinway's Will.

nearly the entire fortune to members of the immediate family. The Leider-herfers, \$1 6004 to Texas steers, \$2 8 kranz comes in for a small share as 4 20, stockers and feeders, \$2 9004 00 does some of the German schools.

Bont His Wife to Death.

Plymouth, Ind., Dec. 9 .-- George Deacon, wealthy farmer, beat his wife to death with a poker as she lay in bed, then drowned himself in a stock tank near the house.

Charged With Murder. Bloomington, Ills., Dec. 9-Fred Hartman was arrested charged with strangling to death Mrs. Fred Geddes.

DOES NOT LIKE IT

mainess Mrn's Lengue. Washington, Dec 9 .- The attention

of Senator Quay having been called to the interview of Thomas Dolan, published in Philadelphia, he said "I am opposed to the entire scheme of the National Business Men's league as disclosed by Mr. Dolan lis basic theory is that organized wealth shall dictate high office and so take possession of the government. It will be met as stubbornly and overthrown as disastrously as was Bryanism. Bryan invoked the masses this league invoke a class against the masses and all other classes.

"In the United States senate we have millionaires and business men enough to serve all legitimate purpuses. Senators are needed who have the interests of the country in gross cal campaign. without special affinities

AN EDITOR'S WEDDING. Marriage of Aldert Halstead and Miss

Alme Wilcon Washington, Dec. 9.-Miss Aline Wilcox and Mr. Albert Halstead were married here at the residence of and in its passage created a scandal Mr. and Mrs. William C. Whittle-

Among those present were Secretary Lamont and Attorney General Harmon, Justices Harlan, Brewer and Brown of the United States supreme court. Senator Sherman and other senators and representatives and Mr. and Mrs. Murat Halstead, the parents of the groom. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Whitlemore. Their permanent home will be at Springfield, Mass., where Mr. Halstead is the editor of the Springfield Union.

Contractors Assign.

New York, Dec. 9.-Smith & Burden, contractors of Long Island City have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors. George H. Smith, the senior member of the firm, said that he thought the liabilities would reach \$100,000, but that the assets of the firm would be near that figure. He said that the firm had been backed financially in some of its contracts by the late William are overjoyed at the new turn taken Steinway, whose death complicated matters to such an extent that an as-

Purchased on Sunday. Mount Vernon, O., Dec. 9 .- The saloons are torn up over the action of the ministers who were here representing the Anti-Saloon league. These ministers at the Men's Christian league mission in the afternoon and the Methodist Episcopal and Congregational churches in the evening exhibited three half pint flasks of whisky which they said were pur-

chased at the salogns Sunday. Strike Is Extending. Glasgow, Dec. 9.—The strike of the Clyde seamen and firemen is extending and a determined attempt is sailing of the Anchor and Allan line

steamships. Coughlin's Friend 11-2d Chicago, Dec. 9 .- Henry O'Connor, a promoters said it is confidently be- member of Clan-na-Gael camp 20, who lieved the company would number at was a witness in the Cronin murder least 100. Unless the government in- trials but refused to testify against

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Dec. 8. New York. with arms, ammunition and several prominent Cubans bound for Cuba on board. The capture was made by the Jamaican government under the foreign enlistment act.

Crossed the Military Live.

Havana, Dec. 9.—It is now semi-officially admitted that Antonio Maceo, the insurgent leader, passed the military line of Pinar del Rio on Friday last near Mariel, the port at the northern is several seve Reef-Family. \$9 00@10 00: extra

Chicago. New York, Dec. 9.—The will of the late William Steinway bequeaths (3 40; heav), \$2 9568 40; roughs, \$2 956

Cattle-Beeves, SS 45@5 40, cows Sheep-Strong to 10c higher Wheat-174c. Corn-221sc Oais-185c.

Cincinnati. Wheat-No 2 red, 94985c. Corn-No. 2 mixed, 2346(22) c Outs No. 2 mixed, 20 6205c. Rye-No 2, 416/42c.

Lard-\$3 65 Rulk meats-\$4 00 Bacon Hogs-\$2 50@3 25 Cattle-\$3 15@4 50. Sheep-\$2 00@3 35 Lambs-\$3 00@4 40

Toledo. Whent-94c. Corn-23c. Oats-18c Rye Highest of all in Leavening Strength.-Latest U. S. Got t Report.

| Baking

Hanna Banqueteq.

Washington Dec 9 -4 banquet Washing on this S Crafte States was given by the Republican congress Class d or Fart at Bluehelds reports against the classes. The promoters of gional committee at the Metropolitan to the state apparament that the club to Hon. Marcus A Hanne, the B woold Banna (mpan) 2 big chiarman of the Republican national Texas corporation eneaged in the committee to which were invited a steamship business between New Ornumber of the members of the ng- leans and Bluefleid and owning 22 tional committee and others, most of banana plantations in the Bluefields whom had been active co-notiers of tivet has failed and passed into the no specialties, but who will act for the channen during the lets polici-, hards of a - co-c er

Is Lien Law Unconstitutional?

Columbus, O. Dec 9.—The superceel ers of the Metropolitan Traction court rendered two decisions which company decided to change the sysprobably holds the material men's lien law invalid. This is the law and Eighth avenue lines to underwhich was passed three years ago in the legislature. The cases are both to be reported. One comes from Clark county and is styled L. F. Young versus the Lion Hardware

Earthquakes In Mexico.

City of Mexico, Dec. 9 -- Severe earthquakes occurred at various Pacific ports of this republic, the first shock coming at 2 30 a. m. and the second, an up and down and very alarming one, at 1:30 p. m. No casaulties reported.

No Respect For the Mayor, Cordele, Ga., Dec. 9 .-- A botter in the

mill of the Wilcox Lumber company at Seville exploded, killing S Piland, mayor of Seville, an Irish employe, name unknown, and four negroes. Mayor Piland was a watchman at the Burned to Crisp.

Middleboro, Ky. Dec. 9.-James Carter, a prominent member of the Virginia legislature, fell in a fire at Cartersford Va., from apoplexy When found his body was burned to a crisp. He was a Republican leader

New Incorporations. Columbus, O. Dec 9-The Church of Christ or Disciples of Christ, Danville: the Portsmouth Co-operative Grocery company, Portsmouth, capital stock, \$1.000, the Frankfort Chan com-

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Enderground Trolis New York, Dec. 9 .-- The stockholdtern of the Fourth, Madison, Sixth ground trolley. It affects 42 miles.

Stole the Sparkiers.

Cleveland, Dec. 9 .- Threves entered the home of Henry A Stephens and several thousand dollars worth of diamonds and jewelry belonging to Miss Helen Gwendolyn Kelley of Columbus, who was visiting there, were stolen.

Chested the Gallows.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 9.-Abram Eckert, who murdered Frederic T. Bittenbender on July 7, 1895, at Repti coke and was to hang at 10 a. m., took poison given to him by his relatives and died 38 minutes after the hour fixed for his hanging.

Bolters Not Present.

Washington, Dec. 9-None of the Republican senators who bolted the St. Louis convention attended the Republican senate caucus. Senator Dubois resigned as secretary of the caucus and as secretary and member of the advisory committee.

Dead In His Buggy Kenton, O., Dec. 9.-William Scott, an aged farmer, while driving to the city in his buggy to consult a doctor. died before reaching here and was found by a farmer dead in the buggy. while the horse was continuing the journey toward the city.

Thatcher Defeated. Chicago, Dec. 9-In the billiard tournament Thatcher defeated Callepany. Cincinnati capital stock \$200,000. ghe: 220 to 5.5. Callagher was make 200 to Thatcher's 220.

THE WAUGH SHOE STORE

IS SELLING

ing and a determined attempt is promised for Thursday to block the Ladies' Dongola Patent Tipped Shoes, good - 98c style, at Ladies' Dongola, Patent Tip Shoes, first-

class style, Ladies' Dongola Patent Tip, machine sewed, 2.00 Ladies' Wool Lined Shoes,

75c Ladies' Calf Shoe, worth \$1.50, 25c Serge Slippers, Children's Shoes in Grain, Kangaroo Grain, Kan

garoo Calf, Viscol Kid, (waterproof), Oil Grain

and Dongola. Little Gents' Shoes in Vici Kid, Kangaroo Calf, Satin Calf and Willew Calf.

Our prices are low. We aim to please.

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AUCTION!

AT 7 O'CLOCK THIS EVENING,

THE BANKRUPT CLOTHING SALE.

204 NORTH MAIN STREET.

One Door South of Watson's Grocery.

JOS. MILLER, Auctioneer.

ser Stock must be seld out as quickly as possible, and goods will be sold during the day at private Sale at whatever they will bring.

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Kalamazza Colory is so well known b every part of this country that the name 🖢 musi for all the latter times of selery, and, five Blue Point exeters and tained in the same selection arrane to the exclusion of other brands. The excelluize of this orders to said to be don to three things-good week, durt, heavy soil and cam in graving and thacking it. Careful passing saight to abled But as any gardener can select good seed and give the plants good culture Kalamazes must excel in the soil or better natural condingues as a ordery re-

The celery meadows are just outside of the town of Kalamazon north and worth of the city, and surrounded by bills, divided crosswise by a high ridge. on which the houses are built. The meadows are about three miles long and a mile wide. These bortom lands are not common farming lands, but are composed of a peculiar form of black muck, the result of veretable decomposition, and formerly they were so rich that no fertilizers were needed. Not more than a dozen years ago very little callery was raised on these meadows and none for shipment to other markets. Joseph Dunkly, the florist, was one of the pioneers in the industry, recognizing the peculiar value of the mack soil for celery. He owned one of the enriest celery farms, and it is rethe business before it was injured by commeitim.

In recent years the output has been so enermous that prices have dropped from 20 cents to 10 cents per dozen, and many growers have been complaining. The seasons of 1892-3 were comparatively poor ones, and a number of the growers left their farms to engage in the same business in the suburbs of New York, but they soon returned to their home town. The growers are nearly all Hollanders, and they live in dwellings on their small holdings, which generally consist of from five to ten acres. They are a frugal, industrious race, and they adopt the most advanced system of intensive farming. Five acres here easily support an ordinary Holland family, and there is no doubt but the head of it saves money.

The city of Kalamazoo is one of the prettiest in the country, and it owes not a little of this to the industry of the relery growers. The amount of celery shipped from the city varies from year to year, but a conservative estimate places the average quantity at 60 tons per day from July 1 to Jan. 1. This would mean about 3,600,000 dozens, and at 10 cents per dezen this would amount to \$360,000. As this is a very low estimate, one is almost safe in saying that the industry nets the town at least \$500,000 a year.

The bunches of celery are packed in wooden boxes and shipped to commission men. The boxes are made in the town, giving employment to a number of mechanics. They are about the size of a peach traie, 24 inches long, 16 inches wide and 0 to 8 inches deep.

Fertilizers are now used freely upon the already rich bottom lands, and every time a grower takes a load of celery into the town he brings back a load of fertilizer. It is claimed that four crops of celery are raised in one season on the land, but this is not literally true. The armers make four plantings, which mature from July to December, but these can hardly be called four crops. The first planting is made early, and as this celery must be bleached with boards it is an inferior grade. The old saying is that celery is not fit to eat until after the first frost, and in a sense this is true, but modern conditions of our markets demand that celery shall be ready for use all the year round. The southern growers send it north early in summer, and since people will buy this vegetable out of season the Kalamazoo growers begin to send their product to the cities much earlier than five years

The question of profit in celery growing is a disputed one, and, like strawberry farming, there are stories current of farmers making \$300 per acre, while others claim that if they make \$50 per acre they are doing well. At Greentown, O., where the largest celery farm under the control of one man is located, the profits are said to average between \$200 and \$400 per acre. There are nearly 100 acres planted with celery on that farm. and if these figures are correct the owner has every reason to believe that farming does pay. Like the Kalamazoo celery lands, the soil at Greentown, O., is exceedingly rich and well adapted to the culture of the ockers plant. But even so, cheap labor must be employed to make the farm pay anything like \$300 or \$400 per acre. Here in Kalamazoo the growers believe that \$100 and \$200 per acre is a good profit, and a man with ten acres of soil need not suffer greatly with such an income. Six years ago the same land could have made profits of \$400 per acre, but then the growers were receiving just twice as much for their celery as they are today. Kalamazoo Cor. New York Post.

Presence at the Enrich's Conter

The philosophers who have figured on the condition of things at the earth's center give opinions which vary widely. change think that the carties interior i composed of white hot molten matter. Others are of the opinion that the pressure is so great that all substances have been condensed beyond our powers of conception. Dr. Young goes so far as to sny that a block of steel 10 feet square world be present into a block only 2 feet square if taken 4,000 miles below the earth's surface.

CHECKING THE WITNESS.

Testimony of a Careful Old Man to a

Sherma Laung America. The reside above was determined that if vigitation of . It socksopiles any. thing the case should be decided in inwere of mis cheer, and a when the carethe Lieute of the Archigan Long. In ful oil man near specific stand for the defense the attested leaded forward, property to began every more of the way.

Mr Johnson, the plannist, " said the careful Sid mate "said that if I won'd buy the boase he would get Mr. Compounts retinquish his lease. He said he thought Mr. Gimpson would agmai to go. 1 galess"—

"Never mind what you greek. We don't than any bearsay is governed. Your heavy to the court, I object to this witness' restingary. He is guessing at what he says. We want facts."

insisted on the nuderstanding being eshsten to what they said. I understand" ---

"Objected to as incompetent. Your honor, we don't want to know what this man understands was done. We want what he knows was done. Wo want''-

"One moment," said the careful old man. "I was about to say that I understand ordinary conversation with some difficulty, and so that there might be no error I insisted that they yell out their propositions in load tones, which they did until you could hear them in the middle of the town. I am informeg"'"---

"Your honor," cried the young atterney, "is our time to be taken up listening to hearsay evidence? He does not know. He was informed that such and such was so and so. What we must ported that he amassed a fortune from have is what he knows about the trade and whether or not he"-

"I am informed on real estate values, having been a real estate agent all my life," the old man said, "and I knew what the worth of that lease was to the bolder of it. Knowing the facts. I would fix his damages at \$78.32. I believe"-

"Objected to as a conclusion and as incompetent. What any man believes is not necessarily good proof. I don't want to know what you believe, but what you know. We must insist on your telling what you know and not what you surmise or what you conjecture or what you think or what you imagine. A courtroom is not a place for exploiting what a man believes, but what he is sare of. I think the court will support me in saying that we don't want to know what this man believes." And the young lawyer looked confidently at the justice.

"I was going to say," said the witness, "that I believe that is all."—Chicago Record.

The Independent Stage Driver.

Eastern tourists who cannot differentiate between a California stage driver and an eastern coachman meet with many a rude shock in the wild and woolly west, and they soon learn that the Californian is a knight of the reins several grades higher in the social scale than the menial of the east.

There is an old driver at Monterey who is determined that his patrons shall make no mistake concerning his exact status, and in a quiet way he checks all attempts to make a servant of him. A short tîme ago be was driving a party of tourists about, when one queralous old lady who had annoyed him not a little by her air of superiority asked:

"My man, do you know the name of that wild flower?"

"Yep," he replied and flicked one of his leaders with his whip.

the name, but he merely clucked to the | Columbia supreme beach. wheelers.

"Driver, do you know the name of that flower?" she repeated in an imperions tone.

"Yep. Git up there, Bally!" Again she waited and again demand-

"'Man, don't you know the name of that flower:"

"Yep. G'long there, Pete!" "Then why don't you tell me?"

"Oh, you want to know, too, do you?

That's a wild rose."-San Francisco

Mr. and Mrs. Pigeon.

"There is one very admirable trait about pigeons," said A. B. Mather of Cincinnati. "I have always had a penchant for birds, and since I was a small boy have owned a number of pigeous. When pigeons mate, they do so for life, and the average constancy among them is as great as among human beings. I have watched them carefully and never saw one of them desert its mate. I had a very handsome bachelor pigeon that was quite attentive to one that was mated. When the mate returned home, he found this pigeon hovering around the cote, and, taking in the situation at a glance, attacked the gay bird and nearly killed him. After that there was no attempt upon his part to break up the little home. They have no divorces among them, and altogether valuable lessons in domestic happiness can be learned from pigeons. "-Washington

The Passion Flower.

The passion flower is intimately associated in popular legends with the crucifixion. Its three petals are supposed to typify the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, while in its other parts the imaginative eye finds the cross, the nails, the spear, the crown of thorns, the halo and various other emblematic objects.

The first visit of postilential fever to this country was in 1709. It was brought from the West Indies to New by taking a course of Hocd's Sarsapa-York by trading vessels.

Charles VI of France was hated by his people, and in derision was termed the Well Beloved.

A new moon falling between 6 and 8

It is often difficult to convince peoful earbuncles, abscesses, boils, serofula or sait theum, are paintul proof of point of view will not depend upon the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenever there is any indication of

impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and dishes, happy and otherwise, will deprevent such eruptions and suffering.

"I had a dreadful carbuncle aboress, red, dery, fierce and sore. The doctor attended me over seven weeks. When the Staff. Occasionally, for instance, abscess broke, the pains were terrible, and "Excuse may," said the old man. "I I I thought I should not live through it. I was about to say I pusse at nothing and | heard and read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I decided to take it, and and every dish sent up most extablished in my presence. So the two my husband, who was suffering with med get tegether, with me cu hand, to boils, took it also. It soon purified our sense of failure as to the result

Blood

that, aithough the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sar-saparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1. Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, 25 cents.

MRS. CLEVELAND BY UDYING.

Is She Learning French to Prepare For : Tour of the World?

Mrs. Cleveland is adding to her various other accomplishments by taking a thorough course in French. She has for a tutor one of the most proficient linguists in Washington, who calls three times a week at the exceptive monsion, He regards Mrs. Cleveland as an app popil and says she has acquired consid erable proficiency. The fact is regarded as giving additional probability to the statement that it is the intention of Mr. Cleveland, upon retiring from the presidency, to follow the example of General Grant and make an extensive tour abroad, encircling the globe in the course of his travels. He has never been beyond the confines of the United States, except in his brief visit to Cuba, and is said to have an inclination toward such

The rumor that Messra Cleveland, Carlisle and Olney will organize a great law firm in New York is denied by Secretary Carlisle. But the president will probably reopen his law office after the completion of his foreign travels. He is, however, well beyond the reach of poverty, as his private formue is variously estimated at from \$500,000 to \$3,000,000. The latter figure is named by the more radical Populists, who desire a congressional inquiry as to how this wealth was acquired.

Only two members of the cabinet seers to be in the way of securing lifetime positions in the public service. These are Secretary Herbert and Postmaster General Wilson, both of whom are poor men. Mr. Herbert, it is expected, will be made chief justice of the court of claims, and Mr. Wilson is suggested as successor to Judge Cox, who She paused a moment for him to give | will scon ratire from the District of

> Secretary Carlisle will either accept the presidency of a New York financial institution or establish a law practice in the community where it premises to be the most lucrative. Attorney General Harmon will go back to his law office in Cincinnati and Secretary Morton to his country residence in Nebraska. Secretary Lamont has extensive business interests in New York which will keep him abandantly employed. Secretary Olpey will go to Boston and take up the routine of the legal profession. Secretary Francis will return to St. Louis and his grain and produce business until such time as he can read his title clear to a scat in the United States senate. - Washington Cor. New York World.

An Actor's Stories. Mr. Morrison recounted two anecdotes

in his experiences in playing Faust. At one place the trapdoor through which in disappears in the Litth act refused to work, and, to use his expression, "his plume stood erect."

"Can's you open it?" he asked in an excited tone. There was an awful pause for a mo-

ment, when away in the gallery some-

body same out: "Holy Moses, hell's full!"

At another time, while breakfasting at a hotel, he noticed that the colored waiter who brought him his meal kept staring at him. He told the watter that he might go. "When I need you," be added, "I will send for you.

"Need me?" exclaimed the waiter in evident recollection of Membisto, "Say, Mr. Morrison, I went to your show last night.

"And how did you like it?" "Like it! Say, Mr. Matrison, that last scene was awful. But one thing consoled me. I couldn't see any niggr

in hell!"-New York Letter."

Don't dally with rheumatism. Parify your blood and cure it at once

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on H. F. Vortkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North ets., and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and a m in the summer season means rain. Tar, which always gives relief.

What it Means In Leading to time an Artiste Spart able comment. Though the artistic speeding of

the table has much to do with the nesthetic enjoyment of it, the seccess of the differ from the guests' that, nor will it enturely depend upon the skill displayed in the cuisine. A dinner, to be successful, must have every item of the menu clearly thought out beforehand, for on the selection and arrangement of the bend not only the character of the dirner, but the comfort of the guests and the harmonious working of the one rises from a table apparently perfect in its artistic arrangement, cellent of its kind, with only a simply because of the "waits" that occurred all too frequently, making

gaps in the continuity of the meal

that taxed every effort of conversa-

tion to bridge over.

A hostess has not only to study naste and suitability in the selection of the menu and in the color scheme which obtains in the floral decoration of her table, but the arrange ment of the dishes which compose the menu must be as varied as onlinary art can make them, both in Ex. Doc. 9.

essence and in appearance. The R. S. Porter & Son, Plaintiffs. | Allen Common Pleas. flavor which forms the chief charneteristic of one dish may not reappear even in a minor form in a second. If anchovies come in among the saveries, anchovy sauce must not be put on with fish, nor should cold cheese follow if cheese savories come first, and if one fish is served a la creme white sauce should not accompany the other. So also in the arrangement of color-white fish should not be followed immediately by anything on blanquette, nor should two fried fishes be found in close juxtaposition.

A fashion is now in vogue of mixing hot and cold viands in the same course, precedence being given of course to the hot dishes. This mode has doubtless many advantages over the late craze for dinners served cold throughout, for to many persons iced dislies are little short of poison.

Since the introduction of enticing little paper cases and china or silver pans, ramequins and all their kin have rapidly come into favor the convenience of partaking of or of passing to each guest a portion complete in itself being too obvious to need recommendation. When some one more cunning than the generality of men comes to the fore with an arrangement whereby vegetables and sauce that are said to garnish our roast or joint can appear simultaneously with it, we shall indeed feel that the aeme of comfort is attained. Then and not before, though waiters be punctilious and swift of foot, will the fatal pause dreaded alike by host and guest become an impossible occurrence.

Another matter of arrangement, perhaps the most important one of all in the mind of the entertainer, is the right selection and placing of the guests themselves. Apart from the attention required by rank and precedence every hostess recognizes the desirability of bringing the congan. desirability of bringing the congenially disposed into contact with each other. But this is a difficulty that belongs to the dinner of every time and season.

It is well for us that, while fashion sometimes adds to our responsibilities, she also occasionally lightons them. It is not necessary nowadays to ransack the wine cellars for the choicest among their stores, nor do we need to place a group of five or six glasses at each guest's right hand. Two sorts of wine, with champagne, are the most that are required, while water is present without the need of asking for it. Neither is it a matter for much notice if a host's scruples prevent onto wine being offered at all.

In brief, then, we have the liberty to be as simple as we please, provid ed that with simplicity we unite perfection in the minutest detail, perfection being the fin de siccle colmination of a century's growth. -London Queen.

"Well, they struck me as being

anspeakably happy." — Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

The Backbiter.

I never yet heard man or woman much abused that I was not inclined

Made Him Tireti. Empty Eakins-Give me a dime.

 \mathbf{boss} ?

Portly Party-What do you want it for? Empty Fakins-I thought of giv

ing a theater party.-New York Her- good results." H. F. Vortkamp, n ald,

A Silich in Time

Hyper Kidneys are discused, slugglish or



By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale in the waverrooms of R. S. Poster & Son, in the

AARON FISHER.
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Litra, Ohio, December 7, 1896.
Brotherton & Brotherton, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 8.

Hyde & Brooks, Pl'tiff, Alien Probate
Catharine Coates, et. al., Def'ts.
By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Probate Court, of Alien County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Alien County, Ohio, on and to me directed, 1 the the east door of the t Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, A. D., 1896, Between the hours of localock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on west Spring street, in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Into number one thousand, three hundred and twenty-six -1 325 in Collet and Thomas' addition to the City of Lima, in Alien County, Ohio.

Appraised at \$1,600.00. Terms of Sale: - Cash. AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.

Eims, Onto, Nov. 18, 1898. Motter & Mackenzie, Plaintiff's Attorneys

Legal Notice.

Rachel McGee residence unknown, will ake active that on the 20 h day of Novem-London Queen.

Unspeakably Happy.

Mrs. Snaggs—Do you see those two people making love to each other?

Mr. Snaggs—Yes.

"They are deaf mutes."

"Well, they struck me as boing.

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Said cause will be for hearing as soon as may be after six weeks from the 20th day of November, 1886, George McGee files his petition in the Produce Court of Allen county, Ohio, praying for a divorce from said defendant, being case number 5834, on the ground of willful absence from plaintiff for more than three years last past.

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Ackins & Klatte, attorneys for plaintift.

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Apply to nearest passenger or ticket agent of Pennsylvania Lines to think the better of them and to for any desired information on the transfer the suspicion or dislike to subject, or address F. Van Dusen, Chief Assistant General Passenger the one who found pleasure in point.

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B. H. OYLER, Agent, Lima, O.

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For Pusumonia.

Dr. J. C. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich. says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month, with e. cor. Main and North sts

SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

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or the cast door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATUBDAY, JANUARY 27, A. D. 1897.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and the memors, stuare on south Jackson street, in the city of Lima. Allen county State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

In-lot number twenty-five hundred and ninery three casks) in Goodenow's addition to Lima, in said county and State.

Appraised at 8:50 th.

Terms of sale: Cash.

Sheriff, Allen County, Onio.
Jima, Ohio, November 25th, 1898.
Hoagland & Creps, attorneys for Gus Kalb.

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The John Church Company, Plaintiff, Allen

Case No. 8911.

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By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of ommen Pleas, of Allen county.

Otho, and to me directed, I will offer for sale in the waverrooms of R. S. Power & Son, in the chase price was part of the builders where the received in satisfaction in payment of purchase price the builders the received to be paid in cash.

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Lima, Ohio, November 25th, 1898.

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The John Church Company, Plaintiff, Allen

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The John Church Company, Plaintiff, Allen county, Onio, and to me directed. I will offer for sale into the Court of purchase price shall be received to be paid in cash.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Comman Pleas, of Allen county.

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Assignee's Sale of Real Es-

tate.

In pursuance of the order of the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction, on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1896.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1895.

At a o'clock p. m., at the east door of the court house in said County and State, the following described real estate, to wit:

Iniot number nineteen bundred and forty-seven (547) in Burns' shditton to the City of Lima, Ohio. Appraised at \$250 to.

Also iniot number sixty one (61) in the village of Elida in Allen County, Uhio, Appraised at \$500 to.

Also a lot situated in the village of Elida. Allen County, Ohio: The west half of inlos number eight (8, in said village. Appraised at \$4,000 to.

Also a tract of land described as follows and situate in said County of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit: Being a part of the southeast fraction of section seven -7-, township three -3-, south range six -6-, east, and more minutely described as follows: Heginning at the northwest corner of lot number fifty-six -56- in the village of Elida, thence south four and one half degrees, west one chain and seventy-eight links to the southwest corner of said lot number fifty-six -56, thence north sixty-one and one half degrees, was talong the railroad five chaine and sixty-six -66 links, thence north the corner of said lot number fifty-six -66 links, thence north the control one west along the railroad five chains and sixty-six-66 links, thence north two degrees, east one chain and twenty links thence north one and one-half degrees, east five-6-chains and sixty-five lioks to the northwest corner of lot one lundred and thirteen 1:3- in said village of Elida, thence south to the north-east corner of said lot number fifty-six-5c-thence west one chain to the place of beginning, containing one and twenty-six hundredthe acres, except two town lots next adjoining inlost number one hundred and thirteen on the west now owned by J. T. Morris. Appraised at \$100.00.

Terms of sale:-Cash

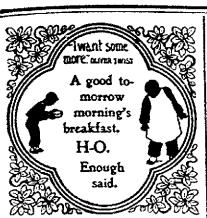
As Assigned in Trust for the Benefit of the Creditors of Jasper N. Morris.

Hosgland & Creps, His Attorneys.



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Special Scenery and Calcium Light Effects.

PRICES: Ali Boxes, each seat

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Usual prices. Seats at Rox Office.

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· Lima Circle No. 210.

Regular meeting Thursday evening, December 10th. Business of importance to be transacted and nomloation of officers. A probable change of meeting night and place of

H. S. LOWSHER, Socy.

Attend the Auction Sale of Clothing this evening. Bankrupt sible at this stage, -"Chicago 400." store, 204 north Main street. 7 45 store, 204 north Main street. 7 4t

LIMA DESTISTS

Meet and Discuss Hypnotism as Applied to Dentistry.

The Lima Dantal Association met Monday evening in Dr. Chase's parlors, and held an interesting session. Dr. Chase read an interesting paper on "Hypnotism as Applied to Dentistry," which was fully discused by all the members present. Those in attendance were: Drs. Chase, Jones,

JACKSON MUST HANG.

Prart Bryan a Marderey Doomed to Pay the Penalty.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 5,--The court of appeals has refused a new trial to Scott Jackson, who was convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Pearl Bryan at Fort Thomas, Ky. the governor.

There is said to be no ground for the execution of Scott Jackson must

The law requires a judge in sentence ing a criminal to allow not more than 90 nor less than 20 days after settence. The only restriction upon the governor is that he shall not appoint a day earlier than was appointed by the court. That day has already passed.

The opinion of the court of appeals covers also the appeal of the attorneys for Alonzo Walling, who must also die The grounds for appeal were that the Judge erred in instructions, the sheriff erred in not allowing admission except by ricket and that the evidence was in-

Dingley Bill Considered.

Washington, Dec. 9,-The Republican senate caucus referred the Dingley bill to the steering committee, with instructions to investigate as to the likelihood of getting the dill through and to devise a means to that end if possible. It was the prevailing opinion that the best policy demanded the passage of the bill if possible to encompass it, but the opinion seemed quite as genrange of possibilities.

Notorious Forger Sentenced New York, Dec. 9 .- William E. Valentine pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery in the second degree and abduction in the Kings county court. He was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment by Judge Hurd. Valentine was at the head of a gang of forgers and swindlers whose operations covered all over the United States and Canada and involved it has been estimated as much

ts \$2,000,000. Company Loses Nothing.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., Dec. 9.-The local office of the Guarantee Loan In- to my limbs. I was in a very bad vestment company of Pittsburg was way when I procured them. But I robbed. The safe was cracked and can say that they have done this for \$500 in cash and many valuable securi- me: I have no urinary trouble. I individuals and that the company loses feeling well in every way.

End of the Measure.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The action of the Republican senatorial cancus in re-SENSATION, COMEDY and PATHOS ferring the Dingley tariff bill to its steering committee and the circumstances under which this action was taken, are accepted in the senate as falo, N. Y., sole agents for the Unitpractically the end of the agitation in the interest of this measure.

To Promote Bimetallism. Washington, Dec. 9 .- The Republican senatorial caucus agreed to a resulation providing for a special commission of five members of the caucus to recommend some plan whereby legislation may be had looking to an international himetallic agreement.

National Union.

The regulr session of Ottawa Coun-Limited... 333 am cli will convene this evening at 7 o'clock in the U. V. U. Hall. A

DISEASES OF THE SKIN.

The intense itching and smarting inci-No. 5—Gotus East, daily ex, Sunday... 7 20 a m efficient for itching pies and a month of the solution of the s For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

Try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, they are just what a horse needs when in bad condi-tion. Tonic, blood parifier and vermifuge.

Pattern After the Pennsylvania. In so far as genius and money can bring about that end, the Pennsylvania system is the railway model. Monday 5 30 pm The track and service are the ideals which even the European systems pattern and all American lines dream of attaining. The millions that the Pennsylvania annually puts into its route and rolling stock keeps its dividends and quotations down, but those are evidently of secondary consideration in the minds of the management, singular as that fact is in this age of corporate competition. The system has not attained its posttion and reputation except by daring exploits and fabulous expenditures. The Pennsylvania originated double tracks, rock ballast and elevated ter minals, as well as limited trains. Apropos, the year 1896 is the Pennsylvania system's semi-centennial and meeting will be considered and acted the event was duly celebrated in upon. A full attendance is desired. April. That it has safely and solidly achieved the undisputed standard of J. P. CALDWELL, Pres. achieved the distribution and server it will continue to maintain its position through the coming century Its future is altogether incomprehen-

Investigate This. DANGER IN SODA.

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Right Here in Lima.

If It Happened in California or Boston You Wouldn't Believe It.

Mrs. C. A. Terry, No. 132 porth Tanner street, says that Dozo's Kid-McIndoe Stephens, Strayer and Ir ney Pills have changed her life of suffering to one of enjoyment of freedom from chronic kidney trouble Year after year, with the best professional aid that could be obtained, there was no positive let up in the different distressing phases of a kidney dis ase. She was advised of the old Quaker remedy by her mother, who had written her from New York but she could not obtain it in Lims The date of execution will be fixed by at that time. Later she saw in the city journals that they could be obtained at W. M. Melville's, No. 147 court, and the governor's warrant for to procure a box. There was no disappointment in their effects. She had not taken them very long before relief came to her and a steady improvement commenced, which resulted in leaving her free from pains, aches and distressing urinary complications. She expressed her apprecia-tion of Doan's Kidney Pilis as forlows: "For eleven years I have known what kidney trouble was. Some six years ago I was treated by Dr. Hadden, Corning, N. Y., and he brought me out of it, and I remained free of ably uses Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets it until I went to live in Detroit. It in all cases of stomach derangements beneficiaries of this abuse have parcame on me again and I returned to and finds them a certain cure not Corning to obtain the professional only for sour stomach, but by promptine and appeals of the report. As to Corning to obtain the professional only for sour stomach, but by promptine second class matter the report and of Dr. Hadden, but I could not by digesting the food they create a says: Thus 349,000,000 pounds, in by his treatment, and after consultthat I had Bright's disease in the but intended only for stomach dissecond degree, and though with care I might live some years, yet I would reliable in any stomach trouble except never be a well woman again. I returned to my home in the west discouraged. I did not cease to treat for this, and have employed physiclans, and I have resorted to advertised remedies, but with very little mailed free by addressing the Stuart eral that the result was not within the relief. My mother wrote me from Corning, N. Y., to be sure and get Doan's Kidney Pills. They were performing cures in that section that were considered hopeless. She was confident that they would benefit me. No one had them here then, but later I was able to get them from Melville's drug store, and I cannot express my thankfulness for what they did for me. The pain in my back, soreness over my kidneys and the urinary dis-

ties taken. Manager J. C. Akers says have no pains in my back. I can the stolen property belongs to private wear my clothing now, and I am "I never had any medicine so satisfactory as Doan's Kidney Pills, and

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kidney trouble to need describing.

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ing extended to my hody as well as

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers, for 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50. By mail on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn ed States

Due Respect.

"What can we do for you?" asked the coal dealer.

"I find," replied the visitor, "that the sudden cold weather has depleted my supply of fuel to an extent which makes it necessary for me to apply to this establishment-"

"You mean that you want to order

a ton of coal?" "No, sir; I do not mean anything of the kind. I realized the respect ful consideration due to anything so exclusive and aristocratic as a ton of anthracite coal. I desire to invite, request, petition and entreat it; but don't think for a moment that I so far forget myself as to order it."-Washington Star.

A Grand Thing and Nothing to Pay.

Just see what Dr. Greene offers to do for all weak and suffering people He is the most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic dis-eases. His unparalleled offer to consult with anyone, free of charge, by letter correspondence, is doing won-derful good. If you have any complaint which you do not thoroughly understand, and which you would like cured, write the Doctor a letter stating just how you feel and what symptoms trouble you. He will an swer it, giving a complete description of your case, explaining the meaning of every symptom, and telling you how you can surely get well and strong. He gives most careful attention to each letter, and explains your case to thoroughly that you under stand exactly what alls you. All this costs you nothing, you have no doctor's fees to pay, and you don't have to leave your home. The Doctor makes a specialty of thus treating patients through letter correspond. well. He is the discoverer of that wonderful medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Write to him at his office, 35 West 14th St., New York City, and you will undoubtedly be made strong and well.

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taste and contain the natural acids, cals. peptones, and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when efforts of the past to secure legislation taken after meals they digest the designed to promote the postal service food perfectly and promptly before it from this waste of its earnings and has time to ferment, sour and poison the taxpayers from the large burden

the blood and nervous system. Dr. Wuerth states that he invariremain long enough to be benefitted healthy appetite, increase fissh and round numbers, at 8 cents a pound strengthen the action of the heart for transportation, cest \$27,920,000; ing a specialist in Elmira, who said and liver. They are not a cathartic, eases and weakness and will be found cancer of the stomach.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cts per package. A little book describing all forms of stomach weakness and their curs

Co., of Marshall, Mich.

WAS EXPECTING IT. How Murderer Tierney Received the

News of His Doom. Columbus, O., Dec. 9.-The board of pardons Tuesday afternoon decided not to interfere in the case of Frank Tierney, sentenced to hang Dec. 17 for the murder of a tramp at Sandusky, Eric county, O. Father Kelley. Tierney's spiritual adviser, was at the penitentiary to inform the unfortunate man that he must hang Dec. 17. Tierney took the matter calmly and said: 'Well, I was expecting it."

Conspiracy Against Filz. San Francisco, Dec. 9.-Martin

Julian stated that he had evidence complete which will prove that a conspiracy was planned and operated against Fitzsimmons in the recent Fitzsimmons-Sharkey fight. Julian says that the parties to the conspiracy were Referree Earp, Dannie Needham. Sharkey's trainer, and Dan Lynch, Sharkey's backer and the National club.

To Improve Trade.

New York, Dec. 9.—Meetings of manufacturers of newspap here. K. B. Fullerton of the Manufacturers' Paper company 'About a dozen manufacturers, realizing that their business was in bad condition have come together for the purpose of consultation and adopting some arrangement whereby the trade can be improved.

Official Notice Received.

Baltimore, Dec. 9.-Cardinal Gibbons has received from the pope an official registered letter, informing his eminence that his holiness has appointed Bishop Thomas D. Conaty of Worcester, Mass., rector of the Catholic university in Washington to succeed the Right Rev. Bishop Keane.

Obtained a Verdict. New York, Dec. 9.- Joseph Connell, former treasurer of the Journeymen Stone Cutters' association, has obtained a verdict of \$400 against the association under the statute making boycotting illegal.

Victim of Luckjaw. Wooster, O., Dec. 9.-Fred Grubes, 12, died from tetanus. About 10 days ago he was injured on the head by playmates.

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Serious Results Sometimes | Washington, Dec. S. A. Algorous protest against the abuse of the postal service is made in the annual Common Soda is all right in its report of Postmaster General Wilson. of expenditures over receipts of \$6,or \$1,079,570, as compared with the We refer to the common use of previous fiscal year. This satisficatery

> that there is a a town if for the canumbers in the property the de-

Its source, he says, is in the trans-Dr. Harlandson recommends as the mission at second class rates of a safest and surest cure for sour stom- large and rapidly increasing volume ach (acid dyspepsia) an excellent of matter never in the contemplation preparation sold by druggists under of the law, which gives the nominal the name of Stuart's Dyspensia Tab- rate of 1 cent a pound on such matter These tablets are large 20 and assuredly outside of the policy of grain lozenges, very pleasant to the law as to newspapers and periodi-

> imposed on them by the regular deficits. But, it says, up to now the combinations and active efforts of the ried all appeals of the report. As to postal revenue received at 81/2 mills

Postmaster General Wilson discusses the proposed 1 cent letter rate, the cheapest postage in the world. He says it would yield a great profit, but it is idle to talk of such reduction while two-thirds of our mail matter is handled at a small fraction of its cost and the deficits of the department in consequence hav eaggregated in 11 years since the act of March 3, 1885, (1 cent pound rate) the enormous sum of \$71.377.480.

Pox Squirrels Received.

Columbus. O., Dec. 9,-Adjutant General Axims received from R. E. Benedict of Ashville, O., Monday afternoon a hox containing two fox squirrels for the statehouse grounds collection.

Cleveland, Dec. 9.-A heavy rain

communication between Cleveland and neighboring cities for a time. Governor's Son III. Springfield, O., Dec. 9.-John

Bushnell, only son of Governor Bush-

nell, is seriously ill and threatened

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The report recites the strenuous

per pound \$2,566,403, a loss on transportation alone of nearly \$25,000,000.

Rain and Fog.

and fog paralyzed all telegraphic

you you

And They Do Ench Things." peared where grocers have been induced to buy this or that "certail octiee" at low price, to put in to their customers as "just as good" as "Postum," and these fraudulest imitations have the effect at times of disgusting users with the result of their efforts to serure a healthful

A religible proces will to ver offer a diental of wear improviou of a generoe riginal article beganer ne happens to make a little extra profit. But it is well to observe that when genuine Postum Cereai cuffee is ordered that you get Postum and not a spurious imitation offered as "just as good."

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information that Mckinley's Sunday of a divided state. They had seen salls prevented him from attending church, as is his usual custom. Now, going to fall by the wayside, and so William, you should not coquet thus when Foraker exacted it Hanna and with the mammon of unrighteous. McKinley readily agreed to the propness. Buring the campaign when it ostition. Of course, all this will not was expedient to keep all the church people in line, McKinley was a regular church attendant and did not it may come up in explaining why permit visitors to keep him at home. Now the voting is done and the major has been elected politics on Sunday is not harred

Persons who made bets on McKinlev carrying Kentucky at the election the only one to tell him this latter, on the 3d of November, and particu-either, but old neighbors will be larly those who held the Bryan end called upon to impress it upon the of the bet, will be interested in the Senator's mind. He will be informed decision made by Manager Dunbar, of the Gibson House, in whose hands to succeed himself as Senator. It is had been placed several thousand dol-vouched for, also, that he will be State. In ruling that McKinley did dropping into the Cabinet, not as not carry the State of Kentucky Mr.

"In all bets that I have been stakenoider I desire to make the following ruling in regard to the same:

il's electors. The unit of the bet is that nothing is to be gained by trypart of the 13. 12. Where a party bet that Mc-

Kinley would carry a majority of the electors in K-ntucky, he has won.

43 In all cases where the word McKinley was used, or the word Republican, also Bryan or Democratic, they are construed as synonymous English, but the English are overterms, and under the first claim will be governed accordingly.

54. Where any party has any ocjection to the above decision he must file with me a written protest, in which case I will notify the other party. Then all parties must agree for my huai decision.

H. B. DUNBAR,"

Grover would not sign the Wilson tariff bill, but he now thinks fairly well of it as a revenue producer. In his message delivered to Congress yesterday he said of it:

"Whatever may be its shortcoming as a short measure of tariff reopened the way to a freer and greater exchange of commodities between as and other countries, and thus furnished a wider market for our products and manufactures."

howed a fair opportunity, will in the is most refreshing.

bear future include a revenue, which with reasonable economic expendi-In the meastime on densit that has occurred or that may occur need excite ordicturb as Tomestany such deficit we have to the treasury, in addition to a gold reserve of \$100,000,000. surplus of more than \$128,000,000 applicable to the payment of the expenses of the government, and which must, unless expended for that purpose, remain a useless hourd of, if not extravagantly wasted, must in any event be perverted from the purposes of its exaction from our people The payment, therefore, of any de fictency in the revenue from this fued, is nothing more than its proper and legitimate use. The government thus applying a surplus fortunately in its treasury to the payment i of expenses not met by its current revenues, is not at all to be likened to a man living beyond his income and thus incurring debt or encroaching upon his priacipal."

The impression grows that Senator John Sherman will not be allowed to succeed himself as senator from Ohio. The Republican party managers have determined to retire him if it is necessary to give him a cabinet position in order to get him to get out of the senatorial race quietly. A correspondent from New York writes thus concerning the situation:

The Obio man is in New York in reat numbers. Consequently, talk concerning matters political has a distinctive Ohio shade. Out of it all comes a little story as to Mark A. Hanna's visit to Washington. It has been said that Mr. Hanna visits the capital of the nation in order to prepare for the inauguration, and it has een intimated that he will have a onference with Senator Sherman. It is claimed here that Mr. Hanna acquaint Senator Sherman in Washington with one particular fact -that the time has come to tell it. That fact is that not only were there three sections in the Zanesville compact—the comination of Bushnell for governor, the selection of Foraker for the United States senate and a solid State for McKinley for the presidential nomination-but that there was a fourth. This last article of agree ment has been kept in the background heretofore, though it is believed Sherman has had an inkling as to there having been a fourth. The fourth part of the compact in-

volves all the Federal patronage in Ohio. Mr. Hanna, it is said, will explain to Mr. Sherman that all that patronage goes to Foraker. If he cares to he will explain to the Senstor that Foraker exacted this at a time that he held the whip-hand, when all were getting ready for the Zanesville convention. Hanna and McKinley had seen Sherman lose a The telegraph bears the startling presidential nomination on account others suffer in the same way and from the same cause. They were not be told Senator Sherman in a lump. Instead, it will be given to him piecemeal and sort of incidentally. Colonel Bill Hahn-who does not stand quite so well as he used to with the coming administration, rumor has it-and other friends of McKinley are to be given appointments outside of the State of Ohio.

This will not be all Senator Sher-Hanna will not be that his friends of the past can figure out no way in which he may hope lars staked upon the result in that given an opportunity of gracefully Secretary of the Treasury, but as Secretary of State. This will give Hanna a chance for the Senate, and Senator Allison an opportunity of again declining the Treasury portfollo, it is argued. It might be add-Where any party bet that ed that a part of Hanna's mission to McKinley would carry Kentucky he Washington is to mollify the "big loses, as McKinley did not carry the | guns" there, he and McKinley having State, having carried only 12 of the suddenly arrived at the conclusion the State, which is 13 electors. A ing to conduct the affairs of the failure of one is as fatal as any other country without assistance from Congress.

> It is manifest destiny that a majority of the civilized people of the world shall be the English speaking races. The Boers of South Africa are not inferior to the whelming them. English influence is bound to be predominant in South Africa, because Englishmen have the spirit of progress. The Boets in South Africa will become what the Germans of Pennsglvania became in the United Statesa worthy and presperous people, but not | death in public, with the view of scarthe dominant race.

Judge Schatz of the town of Mount Vernou, N. Y., deserves fame and prosperity. He has discovered somewhere a law by which children can be compelled fore being sent to school. All children in such condition that they are a menform, it must be conceded that it has to enter the school, says the law. A

Mr. Smith N. Alken of North Adams Mass, has been giving some trumps rest in Hard Luck When the struck Drain and recreation. It is emly justice to say the traines seemed to like it. It is the to work, and this was the kind of vacation Mr. Ailen gave him.

The furmers around Waterville, willing to play at it a little while, bis money into the hence of his satanic posed to come by nature, or instinct, or meantime foraging at will among the majesty than lean it to such a drunken, miracle, but never by teaching. cincken roosts, creiturds and cormields of the ruralists. There were always many mere traines than workers, and terror of the region.

Mr. Allen this summer took the case in hand. He asked the people of the county to contribute food, and at the same time to begin gathering and hauling loads of stone from the sarplus crop upon their fields. They did both. Mr. Allen founded a great tramp encampment, which he called Camp Work, an his credit in a good safe bank. Hard edd name, but he made it apply. A times over he decided to pose as a "solbrook near by was dammed and a bath- | id citizen," so he opened a savings ing pond made. Great cranes and camp kettles and old tinware of all kinds to apply to Tommy Cruse, banker, for were also brought in. An old circus old Sam Ashby, now less presperous. tent furnished shelter at night.

Then work began. The authorities co-operated with Mr. Allen, and every morning each tramp was forced into the privation. For Tommy Cruse, showing pend and made to serub himself. His his would be customer to the door, asclothing was fumigated; so was the circus tent. The best cocks among the tramps were chosen to preside at the camp kettles and appetizing food was soon prepared. But before a hobo was less feilow as Sam Ashby.-Cembili allowed to taste it he was compelled to Magazine. do so much work-break three wheelbarrow loads of stone for three meals. This continued day after day, the bathing, working and feeding. At evening the tramps gathered for songs and speechmaking, and many a gentleman orator might have got useful hints from boy? I don't want to be hypercritical, the tramp wit and eloquence.

At the end of the hop picking season it was found that 400 tons of stone had been broken. The camp cost the county \$380, but the stone will sell for \$1.15 a

No doubt the citizens of Chicago would have been saved much suffering and worry if the great fire of 1871 had never occurred. At the same time it is a question whether the 'city itself would have been so handsomely and substantially built as it is at present. It is a question whether it would have been really as big | nate good breeding, and, best of all, in and rich and prosperous as it is now, and this day of affected skepticism among so entirely up to date in all modern im- the jeunesse duree, an honest belief in provements that go to make a city convenient, pleasant and attractive to live in. Oct. 9 this year will be the twenty-fifth anniversary of Chicago's fire. That fire found her a city of one story frame their meter. It's the most responsible shanties, a city that had three grades to work in the world, that of motherhood its sidewalks and had the sidewalks and is entered into with the least rethemselves made of boards which used ing and preparation. Women arto drop out occasionally. When it snow- | verbially proud, vain, their masses ed and covered the surface of things, the critics say, and I wonder whether they early morning pedestrian would occur realize how they are reflected in their sionally step unawaics into the holes in the boards that were for the time bidden so that he could not see them. Down he would go leg deep into some subter- human nature.—Philadelphia Record. ranean region. He would draw his limb painfally cut, and for a minute the air would be blue thereabout with the pedestrian's opinious of Chicago and Chicago sidewalks. But that vanished goans term the most important event in | society of London. Its name is the pan-At any rate, on this twenty-fifth anni- to the same family group as the armaversary of the historic fire the rest of the dillo and platypus. It has excited great by the lake on her greatness, her indomitable pluck and industry.

The tender mercies of Spain are exactly the same as they were when Spanish generals stretched Aztec monarchs them roveal the hiding place of their treasures. Spain's cruelty and oppres-Mexico and Spanish South America, but she learns nothing and remembers nothing. Stroke a Spaniard the wrong age. The treatment accorded prisoners in the faroif Philippine islands recalls the butchery of the gentle, handsome, as steel, and it can give a terribly out innocent Indians in South America and the Montezumas in Mexico. The horrors of the Black Hole of Calcutta were repeated in a small dungeon at Manilla. in the Philippines, where 100 native rebels were imprisoned, packed like sardines in a box. In one night, out of the 100, 54 were suffocated. Less than half | rule. The bishops have lately found it survived to be taken out and shot to ing into submission all who dared barbor a thought of independence. Weyler, too, would perhaps like to shoot rehels in public, but fear of the United States restrains him.

A Swedish woman has found an into be thoroughly washed and tubbed be- fallible cure for obesity, she declares. The uncomfortably and ungracefully far man or woman has only to begin and ace to the public health are forbidden turn somersaults, turn them early and often and turn them late and keep at it. dirty boy is a menace to the public In time it becomes a delightful and exhealth, reasons Judge Schatz, and right 'hiliarating exercise, it is claimed. The Schatz is. Cannot the same kind of law | fat person gets the semeranalt habit, as be put in force in other places? There is it were, and the waist girth is reduced Continuing, the president says: "I twang about this idea of forcing dirty to slender and asthetic proportions. We believe our present tariff law, if al. parents to bathe their young ones that publish the cure without asking a con-

TOMMY CRUSE.

What It Means to Be f'at Off From Speech

When I met Tommy first, his only shiftless fellow.

Toming Cruse got the money, however. Three weeks later he located the children and hearing them go through great Drum Lumsacad gold mine. He they camped in the neighborhood of the knew he had a big thing, but somehow fields and became the nuisance and the he could make nobely believe in his mine. For years he worked at it, however, living at times a dog's life.

Once, while talking to a friend of mina, he fell forward unconscious. He 36 hours, and yet, with dogged persistency, had worked on till he fell in his tracks. At last his day came. He opened up a big vein and had \$1,000,000 to bank in Helena. One of the first men a small loan was the one time banker, Then came to the old prospector the happiest moment of his life, one that wiped out all memory of starvation and sered that customer, in language too emphatic and graphic for English cars, that he would sooner throw his money into the house of his saturic majesty than loan it to such a drunken, shift-

THE WELL MANNERED BOY. Game Killed to Montage by Sportsmen

He is Simply Charming, but Altogether Too Scarce.

Is there anything more charming in this world than a nice, well mannered but I must add, as I am a strictly veracious woman, that they are, alas, as rare as they are charming.

Such a boy, the well mannered genins, thank heavens, I met not long ago, and my instant thought was, What a fine mother his most be. I know her by reputation, a celebrated actress, who has carefully shielded her private life from the public, and my estimation of that woman immediately rose 50 degrees. None but a woman of culture, refinement and true nobility of character could rear a son whose every light est word showed respect for women, inthe existence of good among men and women in general.

And I couldn't help thinking sorrowfully as I chatted with this delightful boy how few mothers really understand

children? If they did, would they not make a greater effort to have redected only their good points, their gentleness, breeding, and, above all, their faith in

The Scaly Ant Eater.

shape of an clougated fir cone, about three feet in length, which crackles and rustles with every movement, is one of with the great fire, which some Chica- the latest acquisitions of the Zoological the history of the city. Perhaps it was, | golin, or scaly ant eater, and it belongs connery sincerely congratulates the city attention at the zoo, for it is-if we are correctly informed-the first animal of the kind which has been exhibited there. Its home is where the termites, or white ants, are found, for the animal feeds on these destructive creatures and possesses claws which are designed to break dewn their strongholds. The upon beds of burning coals to make claws are also necessary for burrowing in the ground, for the pangolin excavates a cave for himself and his mate sion have driven from her possession all eight feet or so below the surface of the earth, and in this strange home one or two young are produced every year. The pangolin at present at the zeo is fed upon auts and their eggs, and also way and you get a fierce and cruel save exhibits a partiality for cockroaches scalded in milk. The scales with which its body is covered are hard and sharp ting blow with its powerful tail. It can roll its body up into a ball like a hedgehog when it so wills. - Public Opinion.

Clerical Dunces. It is to be feared that elergymen who have entered the church through theelogigal colleges are wretched scholars as a pecessary to insist on an entrance examination en general subjects before admission to a theological college can be granted, and the results have been decidedly startling. The requirements are almost ridiculously elementary-a couple of books of Xenophon's "Anabaof Euclid and so forth. Nevertheless, it culated, -New York Journal. is stated that a large number of candidates for orders are so grossly ignorant that they have been unable to get through this exceedingly easy ordeal, ---London Truth.

Grasping at a Straw.

with the same trouble. Today I am again returns. well and hearty.

DEAF AND DUMB.

must Hearthig. To be deaf is to be unable to hear regular masmess of a trainp to leaf the asset was a sections danger, for his five and to be dambter to be unable to talk.

Four round. Change and recreation underled and underless pomes were The lack of hearing is remedied by would therefore consist for him in going about to be selved for exciting taxes. I teaching the child to use his eyes and could not help Tenney with money, but understand either signs or the induces I tried to with advice "Strike old Sam of the lips, and the lack of speech is Ashley for a completed handred dellars," remedied by teaching the child to use I suggested. Sam Asiaby was one of the his vocal organs or his hands to make Oncida county, N. Y., in the hop raistich men of Helena, Mon., at that petithers understand, and, beheld, the task ing regions, have been everrun and pes- ried and ran a small sayings bank. Tom- is accomplished, and he is "just liketered unspeakably by the horrible army my Cruse "tried old Sum Ashby." All other folks!" Not one thought is given of holices that each summer congregate he got, however, was some perty free to language, to the wonderful medium there in the picking season. Hop pick- talk, in which the banker assured Ton- of exchange by means of which the busiing is not hard work, and your tramp is my Cruse that he would rather throw ness of life is carried on, that is sup-

> A cultured hely, a literary weenan, said to me once, after sweing some dead certain vocal exercises which included every elementary sound in the English language: "Now, if these children can make all these sounds correctly, why don't they go right on and talk? What hinders them?" She was a bright weman, and when a very short explanatihad not eaten a monthful of food for had been given her the reason flashed upon her, and she said: "Why, what a fool I am! I see! They've got something to say, and the mechanical ability, to say it, but no language to say it in. And in that one sentence she expressed the reason for being of all the institutions and schools for the deaf in the

"No language to say it in," that ex presses the condition of a deaf child's mind before he is taught very well, but perhaps "and no language to think it in" should be added. Let the reader try for himself and see how much consecutive thought he can accomplish without words, and if with his mind trained by years of intelligent thinking he can do little until the words come, let him imagine, if he can, the state of a mind out off from language. - Mabel E. Adams in Popular Science Monthly.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

Just For the Fun of & Thing. W. H. Wright tells in Recreation

where much of Montana's game has gone. He says:

"I have known two self called sportsmen to Icave Spokane for two days, and on returning tell of baving killed 63 deer, a story the ranchmen at whose home they put up corroberated. That was years ago. It would take a long hunt there now to kill 63 deer. I once knew a man to go and make a winter camp and kill over 100 deer, which be hung up. He tried to sell them where they hung, but failed. He went easi somewhere, where he lived, and I've never heard of him since. He claimed to have killed 100, but I counted 150 carcasses in sight near his camp the fellowing spring.

"While going from Palmer's lake, in Washington, to the Salmon river I prosal ilirough Toatscoulee and stopped overnight near a small lake on which was camped a party of hunters. It would have been easy to load a four horse wagen with the heads of deer alone that were piled up in one place. There were deer carcasses, all about the

"Î could name more, than 50 of suck ly last winter two men left apokano Times. and killed 33 deer in Idaho, not bringing out a pound of ment to show for it,

of which resulted in the death of over 400 deer, but not one of the deer was wasted. The Indians hunt and then coa the meat before they hunt again. They kill to cat, but the whites kill for inn. Last spring one man in the Bitter Roct valley killed seven elk without stirring from his track. Not one was saved."

Tennyson and His Wife.

Tennyson was devoted to his wife. but, like a man of true taste, he wrote very little about his feeling for her. That beautiful dedication beginning, "Dear, near and true," is that hit of his writing which will be most often associated with her name. She was a shrewd critic of her husband's work. Tennyson has been accused of inability to fuse the different portions of a long poem, and the difference in style between "The Coming of Arthur" and "The Passing of Arthur" and the other "Idylls of the King" has been cited in illustration. Concerning this difference Lady Tennyson said to her son only two days before her death, "He said 'The Coming of Arthur' and 'The Passing of Arthur' are purposely simpler in style than the other idylis as dealing with the awfulness of birth and death,' and she wished this statement of the poet to be put on record in her son's biography of his father.-New York

A Queer Coin.

Fully half of the grown up people of France believe the old story that Napoleon Bonaparte put a check for 100,000 francs in a silver 5 franc piece and that the coin is yet in circulation. They say that the people did not want the 5 franc piece, and that in order to create a demand for it Napoleon resorted to the device mentioned. The check or treasury order, it is said, was written upon asbestus paper and inclosed in the metal at the time the coin was made. Thousands of 5 franc pieces are annually broken open and have been so inspected sis," some quite easy Latin, two books since the story of the check was first cir-

Spider Wort.

The Virginia spiderwort is apparently unable to endure a high temperature. During the day it is wilted and dejected. As the evening comes on it revives, all its leaves assume a lively appearance, Douter-Den't be alarmed. I was and the plant appears to flourish and sicker than you are a year ago, and enjoy its life until the morning light

Patient (anxiously)-Oh, doctor, tell By the nearest mail route from St. Lexington, Mass., will be transformed must be traveled.

ORIFFLE OREEK'S BOCS.

presence.

The End of that Man Marshall's Reign to That Mining Comp.

A telegram from Cripple Crief, Colo. sys that the town build of that place has removed from tilice Town Marshal James Marshall and Deputy Thomas Clark for mulfeasance in office. Thus means the dethronement of the king or Cripple Creek, for since it has been Cripple Creek, Marshall has been in s of the camp. Marshall is one of the tharacters of the west, and, like all the rest of the western bad in a, he at one time honored Kansas Chy with he-

Marshall's long suit was never the

killing of men. He showed a decided preference for other men's money rather than their lives, and while the police have all kinds of stories about Four Fingered Jim, and while he has been in trouble of all sorts and sizes, it : believed there are no notches on his gun. He came to Kansas City early in boom times from Chicago, which has grown either too hot or too tame for him. Seen he had the reputation of b ing the toughest hartender in town Every crook who came to Kansas Cic seemed to know him, and he was always surrounded by a choice crown Naturally he seen opened a saloon of his own. For a time he ran a joint at the corner of Eighteenth and Main streets, and later ran a saloon at the corner of Sixth and Broadway. His sa loon was always the headquarters for the most desperate crooks in the west. John Bull, the famous gold brick man, was one of his bosom friends, and Ton O'Brien, the bess crook of them all, whose adventures all over the world have been the subject of a thousand stories and who now languishes in a French jail for the murder of a pal in Paris, was also a friend of Colonel Marshall during his Kansas City days. The police always suspected Murshall

of planning and having a finger in every robbery or confidence game committed anywhere near Kansas City, but they could never land him. Finally some of his friends learned that a woman in Kansas City had stolen a large sum of money, and they pretended to be United States marshals and took her into Kansas, where they robbed her and let her 20.

Marshall's foot came very near ant ting in this, and he left town. He wens to Denver and tigured in a celebrated train robbery case there. He was sentenced to the penitentiary, but finally secured a rehearing, and in some way got away, then he went to Cripple Creek, which was just becoming a prosperous mining camp. He had no troable in convincing the miners that he knew every crook in the west, and upon the principle of "set a third to catch a thief" he was chosen marshal.

Since then Marshall has rou the town with a high hand. With his winchester always in his hand and a crowd of the roughest men on earth at his buck. he has terrorized the respectable citi zens and made crime of all kinds pay him a liberal tribute. Reseated efforts have been made to get rid of him, but until now he has held on. At one time there were many of his kind in the west He is one of the last. He has plenty of memby now. He may settle down. If he should decide, like other great men in their old ago, to write his own biograhunters who have killed thousands of phy and give his remines at the at would deer and left them where they fell. One the an exciting yara, - it mans City

HE WANTED FICTION.

"I have seen many Indian hunts, the How an Agent For a Real Estate Firm Totaled Mrs. Ella W. Peattle.

> One of the short stories included in Mrs. Elin W. Penttie's rewart book, "A Mountain Woman," is called "Jim Lancy's Waterloo." It was originally printed in Harney's and created onits Etir throughout the west because of the faithfulness with which it depicted the hardships of farm life in certain sections of Nebraska.

Immediately after the story appeared Mrs. Pentric received a storm of protests from land agents and real estate dealers, who swore that she had done the state of Nebraska irreparable injury. One immigration company believed it would be a good iden to get another story from Mrs. Peattie's pen to effset the damaging effects of the first. It sent one of its

agents to her. The real estate man explained that his company owned a large tract of land which it wanted to place on the market and wanted to know whether Mrs. Peartic would write a pamphlet beeming

the enterprise. "Why, sir, I am afraid you don't understand the sort of literary work I do. protested the writer. "I do not write pamphlets and commercial work for advertising purposes. I write nothing but

fiction. The agent drew closer, cleared his throat with an apologetic cough and remarked confidentially: "That's it, mum. That's what we want-fiction. We don't want any more facts, "-Chi-

Philadelphiaus Are Great Readers.

cago Times-Herald.

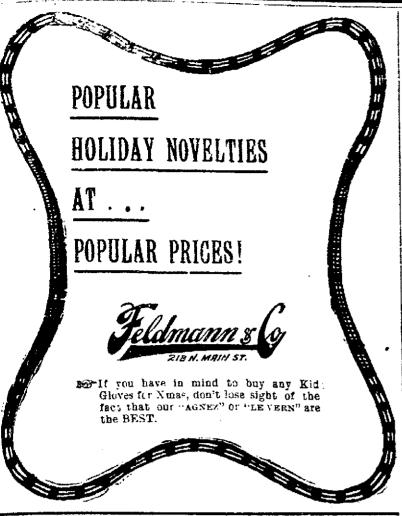
The Philadelphia free libraries claim they have the greatest circulation in the world. From Oct. 30, 1895, to Sept. 30, 1896, 1,293,004 volumes were circulated, exclusive of the reference books consulted in the library buildings. These figures, if correct, exceed these of Manchester, Chicago and Boston, hitherto considered the largest in the world.

A Warning,

That a merchant praises his wares goes without saying. That he derides them is exceedingly rare. It remains with a Greenwich street eigar man to do this, however. In front of his store he has put a sign which reads, "Try Our Cigars and Prepare For Eternity. -New York Times.

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AMONG THE ORDERS

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W. Dobbins, standard bearer: Louis Fall, sword bearer: W. J. Shepherd, that date.

Mr. Myers was presented by Grand tion, but will probably please the Marshal W. K Boone with the past people enough better to compensate £ C. jewel, a beautiful embiem. for the annuyance on the change.

The G. A. R. camp fire to night promises to be a very pleasant event. come highly recommended by promi-the program arranged is an unusual next men and newspapers. Mr. F. admission fee will be charged, and gave this letter to Mr. Thearle, the that yesterday.

The Cheral society has in preparation a fine programme to be given at val hall during the World's fair, and their concert on New Years day. I desire to endorse them fully, for The programme will be a varied one, they are the best band of Jubilee cal, is laying off and brakeman A. F. containing choruses, glees, quartets, Singers I have ever heard." They solos and plano dusts. The society give a program different from that is auxious to make this the musical usually given by similar companies,

During the first week in January. Ohio Encampment No. 256, 1. O O P., will held an open installation of get the date-Dec. 16th. Single adofficers at the headquarters of Allen mission and reserved seat 50c. Seats on sale at Y. M. C. A. building Fribdge, in the Ashton block. Ac ertertaining program and a banquet day morning next. will be given in connection with the installation.

The Boyal Arcanum met last evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

John'F. Lamberton, Regent; Harry Adders, Past Regent: J. W. Puetz, Vice Regent; C. G. Kemmer, Orator; W. E. Orchard, Sec'y: F. C. Cunning-ham. Collector: J. P. Harley, Chap-lain; D. S. Irwin, Treasurer: John Fullerton, Guide; Jacob Kissel, Wardau: J. Summers, Sentry; Representative to Grand Council, R. D. Kanle; Alternate to Grand Council, D. S.

Mr. T. T. O'Donnell, a well known druggist of Parsons, Pa, in speaking of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy says: "Several times in the last few years when suf- anyone" fering with cramp or diarrhoea I have made a personal test of the value of this remedy. The effect in each instance was almost, immediate relief." For sale by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner, C. W. Heister, 58 public square.

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Trinity Chapter,

Order of Eastern Star, will meet this yening to install officers, and a full ttendance requested. Refreshment will be served after the installation. Mus Dora Thompson, W. M.

Notice.

All photos made at Van DeGrift's P to the 20th of this month will be alshed for Xmas.

Visit Our Economy Basement nd see the grand display of holiday FELTZ BROS. & Co.

LEGAL NOTES

NEW SUITS.

ton. Cognovit.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Robb, yesterday afternoon, heard the case of Catherine B. Berger against Frederick Berger for allmony pendente lite.

In the case of Morris vs. Morris, of Harrod, a divorce was granted.

NARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles Houtzer and Elizabeth Adolph Emelich and Minnie Olic-

Joseph Parker and Roxle Kinkle-Henry Schoeneshoefer and Emma

FLORAL TRIBUTES.

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the road would come into the village, or how much money it would be nec essary to raise to secure it, the citizens cannot determine whether Te the interested people of Tecumsah officers.
will be present. A delegation from In us should be able to state what, in the way of subscription, Adrian has accomplished, and what she will be able to do.—Tecumseh (Mich.) Bee.

NOTES.

Supt. S. B. Floeter, of the C., H. & D, is in Cincinnati to-day.

Commencing to morrow, C., H. & D. mileage books will be honored by A. Star Course has learned that the the Evansville & Terre Haute, and Alba Heywood Co., which was to their mileage tickets will be accepted have visited Lima on the 29th inst,

will not be able to reach here. The distance to be covered to and from The new one-thousand-mile ticket this point from the other places in just issued by E. A. Ford, general which this company is booked to appassenger agent of the Pennsylvania, pear, at that time, is so great, that is interchangeable and good for travel the expense attached thereto would over five thousand miles of railway. cause great loss on the part of the

An impression prevails that the Big Four syndicate is quietly at work be released. It very luckily happens that the "Nashville Students" are to to secure a route by which it can get into Hamilton for business, and that the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton is determined to prevent the accomitself fortunate in securing them for plishment of the Big Four's plans.

There is much speculation as to Onio Southern at the coming foreclosure sale, says the Indianapolis Journal. One rumor has it that the Circinnati, Hamilton & Dayton will first class in every particular and be a bidder, another that the Pennsylvania company will bid, and still ly interesting one, some excellent D. Millet, the director of amusements another that the Brice syndicate will laient having been contributed. No at the World's Columbian exposition, be on hand. It naturally should go to the Brice syndicate, which owns all are invited to spend a pleasant proprietor, at the close of the expoevening with the soldiers. The pro- sition. "Dear Sir-The purpose of will probably be the successful bidrram appeared in the Times Demo- this is to say that your company of der for the Cincinnati, Jackson & Jubilee Singers, known as Thearle's Mackinsw .- Toledo Bee.

L. E. & W. RAILROADERS.

Brakeman flutchison has resumed his run, after a brief absence.

Brakemen L. Long, of the east lo-

Bates has charge of his crew given in full dress, and the last part Switchman Burwick has left the

service of the company and has been succeeded by switchman Thompson.

Switchman Hastings has been promoted to a yard condector in the day yards. He has charge of engine 42.

Conductor Thomas Tivnen has reported for work after a brief illness. From Citizens of Pennsylvania who his car.

Have Been Cured by Chamberlain's Brakeman Steel, who had two of coupling at Albany a few weeks ago,

Mr. W. W. Spillen, drug clerk, has returned to work. with J. W. McConnell, Parnassus, On account of the Pa., says: "I was out all one night in freight traffic co On account of the recent increase in freight traffic conductor Harry last winter and contracted a severe Mershon's car has been put on again, could hardly speak. Knowing how and brasemen Fennessy and Kavanaugh constitute his crew. well customers of our store spoke of

Park Rouser, of Superintendent Cory's office at the C. H. & D. is dangerously ill at his home on East J. A. Van Valzah, Hughesville, North street. His condition necessi-Pa., says: "Chamberiain's Cough tated the attendance of two physi-Remedy has proven so valuable that clans last night.

Assistant yard olerk James Dildine is officiating in the capacity of chief vard clerk, vard clerk Cooper having "Mr. J. D. Kline, a cigar maker of charge of the night yards during the absence of night yard master Smith, of his cough with a 50 cent bottle of whose wife died Sunday night.

POLICE, NEWS.

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and robbed at the Main street bridge. For news read the Trans-Demo Monday night, since he slipped to the householders who live in the vil lage or its immediate vie...ty.—Exyesterday moralog.

Detective Harley, of the P., Ft W- & C., arrested a man last night for stealing a ride upon the trucks of a P., Ft. W. & C. express train TIMES-DEMOCRAT leads them all." The stranger gave his name as William Ferguson and claimed to be a week delivered at your supper table ment. He was arraigned before Justice Mowen and fined \$1 and costs, part of which he paid and was re-

Marriage license has been issued by the probate court to Adolph Emlich and Miss Minnie Olinger. The for-mer is the principal State's witness Bros & Co, one door south of court in the murder case which was very recently given a preliminary hearing before Justice Atmur, and the bride is a sister of the woman now held on elections.

in the county jail charged with murder in the first degree.

The preliminary hearing in the case of The State ve. Wm. Tullis and The City Bank vs. Lillie M. Bray-Frank Bodkin, the young men who on. Cognovit. set fire to a dwelling house near Lafayette, was concluded in Justice At mur's court last evening. Justice Atmur considered the evidence insufficient to justify holding the defendants to appear before the next grand jury and consequently they were formally dismissed.

GRANT AND PORTER.

The Latter's First Meeting With His Subsequent Chief.

While sitting in my quarters in the ittle town of Chattanooga about unhear after hightfull on the evening of Priday, Oct. 23, 1863, an orderly brought me a message from General George H. Thomas, commander of the Army of the Comberland, on whose staff I was serving, summoning me to leadquarters. A storm had been raging for two days, and a chilling rain was still falling. A few minutes' walk brought me to the plain worden, one story dwelling occupied by the commander, which was situated on Walnut comsen desires the road or not. At street, near Fourth, and upon my ar-Monday evening's meeting the case rival I found him in the front room on will be plainly stated by a represent the left side of the hall, with three ative of the road, and no doubt all members of his staff and several strange

In an armchair facing the fireplace Adrian will also be present at the was seated a general officer, slight in next meeting, and by Monday they figure and of medium stature, whose face bore an expression of weariness. He was carelessly dressed, and his uniform coat was unbottoned and thrown back from his chest. He held a lighted eigar in his mouth and sat in a stooping posture, with his head bent slightly forward. His clothes were wet, and his tronsers and topboots were spattered with mud. General Thomas approached this officer, and, turning to me and mentioning me by name, said, "I want to present you to General Grant. Thereupon the officer seated in the chair, without changing his position. glanced up, extended his arm to its full length, shook hands and said in a low voice and speaking slowly, "How do you do?" This was my first meeting with the man with whom I was destined afterward to spend so many of the most interesting years of my life.

The strange officers present were members of General Grant's staff. Charles A. Dana, assistant secretary of war, who had been for some time with the Army of the Cumberland, had also entered the room. The next morning he sent a dispatch to the war department, who will be the purchasers of the beginning with the words, "Grant arrived last night, wet, dirty and well." -"Campaigning With Grant," by General Horace Porter, in Century.

Dramatis personie, a small street gamin leaving idly against a tree. On the opposite side of the street a young wengn carrying her pecketbook in her hand. Coming toward her the ubiquitons man who rescues damsels in distress. Just as these two met on the muddy crossing the young woman dropped her pocketbook in the mud. It fell open, and the usual assortment of thimbles, pennies, scissors, samples and dimes was scattered broadcast.
"Allow me," said the young man,

and the owner of the pocketbook blushed becomingly and allowed him to go down on his knees in the mud to rescue her possessions. When he had picked up Foreman Barney Trombla, of the day yards, is laying off and switchman the rolling dimes and pennies and rethe purse, he saw that she was still un-

> "Is anything missing?" he saked solicitously.

"No. That is, nothing but a penny." "Oh," and lifting his but he walked on, not having received so much as a "thank you" for the service. But then she was very prefty.

There is a climax to this story. When Conductor T. E. Davis was running the young woman had ceased looking for lost property, she went on her way, and the street gamin darted across the his fingers mashed while making a street from his post of observation, and in a moment he had found that lost penny under the stone where he saw it roll, and as he walked away with it hidden in his cheek butter wouldn't have melted in his mouth.-Detroit Free Press.

Coal Mine Worked by One Man. The smallest coal mine in the world is in the southern province of New Zealand, where, according to the reports of the inspectors of mines for the colony. the Murray Creek colliery is worked by one man, T. Bolitho, a Chinaman, who owns, manages and werks this small but to him valuable coal mine. There is another small colliery in the same province worked by one man with the assistance of a denkey. The next smallest colliery is in England, in the village of Nelson, in Lancashire. It is situated near the Colliers' Arms and affords employment for two miners, father and son, who combine in themselves the positions of proprietors, managers, miners and hanlers of the undertaking. The have the assistance of a donkey and all the cumus of the caice is sold

An Alleged Pension Fraud. St. Louis, Dec. 9.-The authorities believe that in Henry F. Barcus, alias Samuel Myers, colored, they have a clue to a pension swindle which has been conducted on an extensive scale. Barkus, alias Myers, said he had

served as a corporal in Company K,

Ninety-seventh Indiana infantry.

Contest Against Black. Washington, Dec. 9.—The notice given by Mr. Thomas E. Watson of contest against Mr. J. C. Black of Georgia, who was elected at a special election last spring was read to the house and referred to the committee



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Will Be In Washington.

Ottowa, Dec. 7.-Hon. A. S. Fisher minister 🧠 agriculture, will be in Washington on the 15th or 16th inst He goes to discuss with the American authorities the question of abolightrg the international quarantine against cattle. If the American goveroment will agree to alzelishing the quarantine against Canadian cattle it is understood that Mr. Fisher will agree on behalf of the American cat-

Mother Almost Worn Out. Hand's

Colic Cure Gave Instant Relief. BELL BEIOK, O., March 25, '98. Mr. Haod-"I received your sample bottle of Colic Cure and was never so glad to my life. My baby had the wind pulic ever since sho was bore and I was almost worn out. I gave before the game laws were enforced her a dose without my husband's was still there in almost the same conknowledge and it gave her instant relief, and she has not been the least trouble since I gave her the first dose. I would not be without it for ansahing. I will recommend your Colic Care to every mother. Mrs J. C. Wade." Sold by all druggists, 25c.

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THE SONG OF THE OX WAGON.

Thus is the song of the straining span, the tunof the intered DH. Of the slow course in partition ways of the ways on stoutly built.

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Maet and west and south and north the first horn herdens a spread. From the waters viear of the high Paulie, from

the ancient Oxus bod. In and on to the plains of the Don their creaking wagons ran,
And the dissilteem showed out the doom that

has given the earth to man. Over the sands of the thirsty lands, under a

brazen sky. Where the only law men how before is the law of the assecut. Forth and forth to the dim far north where the

broad Zambezi flows Still today in the ancient way the rumbling

Through the forest ways where the wild thing: graze, the dappled, the fawn, the gray; Where the tall "kameel" at sunset steal like

ghosts to the slient viey;

Where the lions drink at the roody brink of the slowly shallowing pan.
The disselboom shows out the doom that has given the earth to man.

Slow and slow the wagons go by thicket and thern and pool, But their thin puth traced on the homeless waste is the read of the coming rule,

And in dread of that track the wild slinks back, and the thief and the beast give To the farm and field and the yearly yield of

East and west and south and north from the days of the dawn till now.

Ere grass was burned or sod was turned by

the share of the furrowing plow, This was the rane of the tattered tilt, the song of the straining span, Bow the disselboom points out the doom that

has given the earth to man. —St. James Gazette.

A GOOD TIME COMING.

It was an October day, and the air was charged with the aromatic sharoness that follows the change in nature caused by the first frost. The sounds of the woods had changed from the summer murmur to the autumn rustle, and nature, like an aging coquette, was dressing herself in gaudy colors for her last season. The maples were clustered in crimson magnificence on the knolls and ridges, while the elms and ashes in the hollows clothed themselves in sofiest vellows shot with green. And in the fields departing summer was shod with the russet of the stubble lands.

Through this scene of melancholy beauty was wandering fitfully, now half running, now sitting down, disquieted and unnerved, a man who seemed strangely out of keeping with it all. He was tall and gaunt, sharp eyed, and in moments of repose a man who bore all the marks of authority. His line involuntarily shaped themselves to a "shee of cold command," and his high, pale brow, with its bright, transparent skin. spoke of ceaseless thought.

But he was acting like one possessed. He would walk along rapidly for a few moments, scanning the trees like an Indian pot hanter and holding his gun in readiness for a quick shot. Then he to see us again. My, how you have would stop suddenly, arrested by a grown and changed! Well, I suppose thought. Sometimes the thought would be one that would wring an oath from mother? Glad to see you, wasn't she? his lips, and sometimes it would bring to his face a look of perplexity that would end in the nervous laugh that tells of an uncomfortable feeling at the you?" ing headlines in the leading dalles. moisture to the eyes and a choking feet- wealth — he could have bought the all, what was the difference between Every mile of track is stone ballas ed, ing to the throat. Hiram Pratt was and laid with the heaviest steel rails, stirred to the depths of his nature-stirso solidly bound in position that the red as he thought he never could be. At spreading of rails is unknown in the one moment he would regret the impulse that had taken him back to his old home on the farm, and at the next he would thrill with boyish delight at and Cleveland to Pittsburgh, Wash- the thought of bagging gray squirrels ington. Baltimore, Philadelphia and and quail, just as he used in his youth.

have seen him. He had just spent the night with his mother in the old log house where he was born and had learned anew some thing that he had forgotten. In his business career he had schooled himself to consider money everything and sentiment nothing, but in that old house sentiment was supreme and counted for more than the riches of a palace. When he asked his mother why she did not live in the fine brick house which be

brother now lived in, she replied: "Why, Hiram, your father brought me here when we were married and potter about you are all with me as you were when you were young. It

wouldn't be the same in the new house.' Then she put up her old wrinkled face to be kissed as in the other days, and the worldly man stocped and kissed her. As he did the hardness of his heart chilled him like a curse, and snatching up a candle he hastened to the room her loving hands had prepared for him. All night he tossed on his pillow, striving to strike a balance between the love and tenderness he had lost and the millions he had gained, and it was because the problem was still painfully unsolved that he wandered about so dis-

tractedly through the October woods. At last he came to the thicket where there used to be a covey of partridges every fall, but now there was no whirring of wings at his approach. But the fallen oak round which they used to hide and beside which he used to set the figure of four trap in the old days dition as when he saw it last. He seated himself on the mossy trunk, and a his mind gradually quieted, soothed by the peace of nature, he went back to his boyhood and lived it all over again.

At last he remembered, and the memory came to him with the shock of Of course it could? Sam was only 15 to worry about nothing." years older than he was, though every-body called him "old" 30 years ago from the old man all the details of this Home Journal.

But that was only on a count of his m. I wonderful bargain. He learned that the most semile simplicity and natural shift. simple hearted old man was practically lessness. Sam couldn't be more than 63 a slave to his greedy and sellish son, yet, and of course he must be alive. He had to get up at Jo'clock in the What times they used to have, trapping morning and work until 9 at night, are mink and shooting squirrels. This train the unfiltal brute had dared at times to of thought cleared the moral atmost thrush his father for not working as phere for the millionaire at once. He hard as he thought he should. Morewould not be satisfied with coming to over, he did not allow him to have the old farm; he would go back to his | meat or good food except when he was youth and go out hunting with Sam. He had no real intention of deing any hunting when he left the house and had merely picked up the old gun us an excuse to get away to the woods, where he would be alone with his troubled: thoughts. But now he would visit old learned of the miserable story, and his Sam, and they would have an afternoon heart was moved with unwented pity of hunting. This decision gave him as he saw that his old friend was looksuch a thrill that out, of pure exuberance of spirits he forgot his gun was leaded and cocked, swung it up and drew a bead on a clump of leaves in the top of a tall hickery. The explosion that instantly followed, sending the echoes rolling through the woods and starting the crows cawing, brought him out of his dreams with a shock, but the sound of the gun revived all his passion for shooting. After carefully reloading the old mazzie loader he started toward Sam's farm.

As he reached the farm he was surprised to find it so changed. There were new barns and stables and a new house, and everything was spick and span. He expected to see tumble down buildings and rickety fences instead of evidences of prosperity. But he strode cheerily across the field toward the house, inhaling the smell of the newly plowed soil, resolved to find out from the first person he met what had become of old Sam. Presently he saw a man busily digging in a ditch at the end of a field and directed his steps toward him. As he approached nearer he could hardly believe himself. It was undoubtedly his old friend, working away as if his life depended on it.

"Hello, Sam," he called cheerily as he came within hailing distance, "how are you?"?

The digger stopped, looked at the stranger with an inquiring stare and answered half shyly: "Hello! Nice day."

"Why, don't you remember me?" "I must say you've got the start of

Pratt held up the index finger of his left hand, showing a rough, corrugated nail, and asked, with a laugh:

"What! You surely don't forget the fellow who went to pull the woodchuck out of the hollow tree in Black's woods and almost had his finger bitten off, do YOU?

Sam's grizzled and whiskered face lit up suddenly, and he scrambled out of the ditch.

"Why!" he exclaimed as he transfer red the mud from his hand to the leg of his trousers. "If it ain't little Hiram Pratt. Well, now," and he shook hands with him vigorously, "when did you get home?"

"Last night."

"Well, well, and you're come back we've all got to get older. How's your Well, well! And they tell me you've got awful rich. I suppose you could buy out all the old neighbors now, couldn't

Prutt laughed at the estimate of his ing park had he wished-and modestly replied that he didn't think he could do and he was simply a slave to his busi that, though he had got along pretty ness. He was looking forward to a good well. remarking on old Sam's evident pros-

"Yes," said the old man delightedly, things are lookin better, sin't they: But of course you heard all about it?"

Pratt had not heard. "Oh, no," be said, "this ain't my doings at all. They are Walter's. My oldest boy, Walter, you know. Jee! I guess he was born after you left, wasn't he? Well, well, how time does fly, to be sure. I tell you, Walter is a mighty smart boy, but an awful fellow to work," and a half frightened expres-

sion came over his face. As old Sam said this he jumped back into the ditch and picked up his shovel as if he were going to dig again. "Well," said Pratt, "I'm glad your family is turning out so well, but you used to be more fond of hunting than of plowing and digging, didn't you?"

"Yes, but I ain't done no hunting in the last three or four years." 'Why, there are lots of squirrel left, are there not, and some quait and par-

tridge? "Yes, but Walter would not let me," said the old man doggedly.

"Would not let you! That's strange." "No, he sold my gon." "You surprise me."

"Well, I guess he was right. I used to waste an awful lot of time with it when I should have been working. If I had not wasted so much time, I would not have got into deht. I suppose you heard about that, didn't you?"

"Why, no; I did not hear anything

"Ob, I was in awful trouble. I could not sleep nights or anything. The store bills kept getting bigger, and then I gave notes, and then a little mortgage, and the times kept getting harder and the taxes higher until I was almost crazy. But I tell you," and a little gleam of pride lit up his face, "Walter has changed all that, and even though he does make the work hard I don't know that I have any right to complain. You see, this is the way it was: When things got to the very worst and we were afraid the sheriff would come, Walter offered that if I would make over the farm to him and agree to work for him until I was 70 he would pay of all the debts, give something to each of a discovery who his companion and the other children, and that after I was made a bot with a courtier that he 70 neither myself nor the old-woman (Buchanan) could make a coarser verse ing expeditions. Old Sam Ehrett Could would have to do any more work. He than the courtier. Buchanan rose and,

working hard. In the winter time, when there was nothing to do bot whores, the old man and his wife were forced to live on commeal and buck wheat.

The rich man's wrath arose as he ing forward with such simple anticipation to the good time coming when he would be 70 years and free. The probabilities were that he would be worked to death before then; if not, that he would be starved to death soon afterward.

Although the old man complained, and with touching candor told of the treatment he was receiving, he really blamed himself more than his son.

"Walter has been hard," he said, 'but I can't say I deserve much more Hived in a way that brought us all into debt, and I have caused him a lot of worry in getting out, and you know, Hiram, what debt is especially to a man who feels that he would not rob any one in the world."

At this moment the conversation was interrupted by a shout.

Looking in the direction from which it came, a man was seen standing on the feuce, waving his arms angrily.

"That's Walter," said the old man as he commenced shoveling for dear life. "He wants me to get this ditch finished and the tile laid in it before the frost comes.

"No, Hiram, I can't go shooting with you this time. Walter can't spare me, and I ain't got any money to get powder and shot with, though I guess I could borrow Thompson's gun if I wanted it. But, I tell you, if you come back seven years from now, when I ain't got nothing to do, we will go out hunting again and have a good time just the same as we used to. You have not got a plug of chewing tobacco, have you? "No."

"City folks don't chew much, do they? Walter said it was a dirty and expensive habit, and he made me stop, but sometimes I get a chew when I go to a thrashing or logging bee."

The millionaire had a strong inclination to walk over to the other field and bag the brilliant Walter instead of go ing to the woods to hunt for inoffensive squirrels. He felt that he would enjoy patting a sharge of cold lead into him about as much as he used to enjoy putting it into a skunk. But he restrained himself and walked back to the woods.

There he sat down on an old oak log, wondering-for his heart for once in many years was full of the kindliest feeling-if it would not be a worthy deed to buy the freedom of his old friend. He could certainly find some way of doing it without causing too much talk, and it would be a deed of charity that might do something to soften the hardness of his past life. But as he thought it all over and remembered how the old man was looking forward to a good time coming he paused. After

The old man was a slave to his sou, Then he changed the subject by time coming when he would be able to retire and live on his wealth. But he knew in his heart that, under the training he had given himself, he could not live if he were not at the head of the corporation he had built up and still struggling fiercely to make more meney -money for which he had no need. Perhaps, after all, the old man was as happy as he, and if he set him free now he would simply take from him the on ly thing he was working for and look ing forward to and make him end his life in sordid inactivity. The old man had something to live for, something to hope for, something to look forward to, and he had as good a chance of realizing it as most people have in this world. If he interfered, he would be what most charitable people are-merely a med-

And he was right. While he was sit ting in the woods old Sam was digging away in the ditch, with his heart full of happy anticipations of the good time he would have when he was 70 and his old friend, Hiram Pratt, would come back and go out hunting with him .--

A Woman's Palace.

St. Petersburg owes its second great palace, The Hermitage, to a fantasy of Catherine II. Originally The Hermitage was a small pavilion attached to the winter palace—a place of recreation, where friendly causerie, as it was understood in the last century, could be carried on without court formalities. The imperial hostess drew up a series of rules for these parties and placed them on a table near the door. "Leave your rank outside as well as your hat,' says the first rule. "Be gay, but do not spoil anything; do not break or gnaw anything," is a somewhat ominous admonition, but those to "argue without anger and without excitement, ' and "neither to sigh nor to yawn, nor make anybody dull or heavy," are rules which should be enforced in every drawing room today.-New York World.

Origin of a Much Quoted Saw.

The origin of "A fool and his money are soon parted" has not been ascertained with certainty, but the following story is sometimes told: "George Buchanan, tuter to James IV of Scotland, it be possible that he was still alive? would support us, and we would have picking up the contion's money, walked By a series of questions Pratt learners money are soon parted. " - Ladies

Plants That Spread Quickly.

The dandeiten fann old world flower, not native in America, save far to the north and on some of the highest of our western mountains. But somehow it was brought here, perhaps from England, in old calculal times. Now we see its golden heads and feathery balls at distressing maladies, but are very grassy readside, the "clocks" the dangerous as well. Cold on the every grassy roadside, the "checks" the boys and girls blow to tell the hour. A cheet is an inflammation affecting the few years ago tarmers in the northwest found a new word, a vile, prickly word, in their wheatheris. In a very short lungs. The inflammation may be so time this weed, the Itussian thistle, bus spread over with acres of the best farm time if not quickly reduced, or it land in that part of the country and has done great injury to the crops.

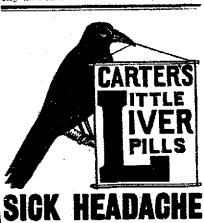
How do these plants spread so fast and so far? They are not carried about Eyen a mild condition & liable to and planted. No one would be so for it turn quickly into acute pneumonis. ish as to sow Russian thistles. The mother plant must have ways or her own for sending her offspring abroad in to the world. Plants propagate themselves in two ways, from seed or from bads. Sometimes these bads are buttle on slender rankers. A strawberry plant. after it has blossomed, is gins to send out such runners, with bads, unfolding tafts of leaves, along them. These tufts are at first connected with the parent plant, but later the runners between break away, and each tuff becomes a new plant. Many grasses, like Bermada grass and the troublesome quick or couch grass, have creeping stems, each joint sending out a bauch of roots below and bad on the apperside. If you try to her up such grasses, you only make matters worse, for each joint when cut att is ready to form air independent plant. Such grusses spread very fast and soon take pessession of the land they get into.-Thomas H. Rearney, Jr., in St. Nicholas.

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OVER CHILKOOT PASS.

oring Miles Causon and White Horse Rapids on the Yukon.

This canyon was named by the late Lieutenant Frederick Schwatka in honor of General Nelson A. Miles who had been instrumental in sending him on his trip to the Yukan in 1883. The river, which has been about 300 feet wide, suddenly contracts to about one-tenth of that width, and, increasing its velocity to 20 miles an hour, rushes with terrific force through a canyon with absolutely perpendicular walls 106 feet high. The canyon is only three-quarters of a mile long, and at its lower end the river spreads out into a series of rapids, culminating three miles below in the White Horse, There are two ways of passing this canyon-one, by portaging over the hill on the east bank, and the other, by boldly running through. We had seen both ways of passing Miles canyon, one requiring four days, and the other two minutes. We three has never yet been thrown. looked at each other in an inquiring sort of way, and then without a word walked down to where the Nancy Hanks was moored against kneeling and facing the bow, McConnell in the stern. Mattern amidships and I forward. The oars were placed ir board, and each of us used an ordinary cance paddle.

I must confess that I never felt sicker in my life than as we shoved away from shore and steered for the entrance. It was all over so quickly hat we hardly knew how it happenal. Barely missing the big rock at in her small, round hand. the mouth of the canyon, the boat garted on its wild ride. The walls semed to fairly fly past us, and aftstarting we beard a cheer from he rocks above, but did not dare ook up. By frantic paddling we l but in the middle and off from the enyon walls. The sensation was akin to draw newn. m that of riding a bucking brouche. More was not a dry spot on one of when we got through, and the last top!" bat had taken on so much water hat she nearly foundered before we Scribner's.

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COMMA BACILLUS. In consumption beware of cough mixprescriptions that contain lamps?" asked his mamma. um. Opium paralizes the nerves, hance to destroy the lungs. It is little tellow, "dey just light lways fatal. Brazilian Balm does not de towel rack."—Exchange. ind gives the comma bacillus a good ontain a trace of any opiate, but stimu-ates the nerves with new life and power, estroys the microbe, and restores all hat is left of the diseased lungs to a medy has ever been known to accomlish. "Auntie, won't you please out
me out a nickel today?"—Exchange.

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

From that time to this little Pauline, now in her seventh year, has guided burres and pan, s mone, e-cortes by her future. Now she rides through the



streets and parks of the city, among streams of wheelmen, carriages and pedestrians, as coolly and safely as an adult.

One may see her almost any Sunday afternoon, guiding her pony through the park, with all the cleverness of a

pole peny rider. She has had several close calls, but

Little Pauline's riding costume is bright red from cap to shoe. She wears a jaunty Tam O'shanter with black feathers, and jacket with a broad white the bank. All took their places, white braid, red stockings, red shoes and red gloves.

In this brilliant costame she presents a striking appearance and never fails to attract attention. -St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Ruthy's Shopping.

It was the first time that little Ruth had ever gone shopping. She walked out of the gate looking quite important. with three pennies clutched very tight

Pretty soon she came back again with a bright red top; but there was a little cloud on her face.

"What is the matter, dear?" asked "Don't you like your pretty mamma. top?' "Oh, yes, mamma," she said soberly.

Then the corners of her mouth began "I was selfish," she said, almost cry-

ing. "I took the poor shopman's very

Mamma and aunty, too, could hardly make her believe that the shopkeeper would rather sell his playthings than ould bail her out. But a great keep them for himself. But when at weight was off our minds, for Miles last she understood that he never played anyon, more than all other things, is with any of them and really liked pendreaded by Yuken travelers .-- From mies better even than toys, she was com-Over the Chilkoot Pass to the Yu. forted and began to spin her top with a ton," by Frederick Funston, in happy smile. -E. H. T. in Youth's Com-

Advice to Boys.

Boys have an idea sometimes that it Berlin society, Francuwohl. It is pro- take cold these days is sitting on the posed to teach all branches of garden stone steps of their homes and leaning against the cold from of posts and pillars that support fences and piazzas perhaps. Another caution is to put your coats on after sharp exercise. Do not stand still, either, after you have run and got yourself heated, even with your cost on. Watch the trained football and baseball players and see how quickly they clap their sweaters on the moment they are not exercising. They would not get a chill for anything, and they know that one of the enciest ways to do so is to cool off suddenly when very warm. It is not at all beneath a boy's dignity to take care of himself in the matter of health. - New York Times.

> Dorothy's Masta'ts. I'm sick of 'mustn'ts." said Dorothy D., Sick of 'mustn'ts' as I can be.

From early more till the close of day thear a 'muste't' and never a 'may.'
It's You muste't he there like a sleepy head, And You mustn't sit up when it's time for

"You mustn't cry when I comb your carls; You mustn't play with those noisy girls; You mustn't be silent when spaken to: You mustn't charter as parrets do;'

" 'You mustn't be port,' and 'You mustn't be proud: 'You mustn't giggle or laugh aloud; 'You mustn't rumple your nice clean dress,'
'You mustn't nod in place of a yes.'

eso all day long the 'mustu'is' go till I dram at night of an endless row of modin tunish'ts," with great hig eyes. That stereart no in shocked surprise. Oh, I hope I shall live to see the day

When some one will say to me, 'Dear, you For I'm rick of 'musta'ts,' " said Dorothy D., "Sick of 'musica'ts' as I can be."
-Elia Wheeler Wilcox in Sanny Hour,

Blow It Seemed

Archie, who had never seen gas jets. had been away on a little visit. "And were you careful about going near the

"Doy don't hab lamps," replied the litile tellow, "dey just light de end of

Making Money.

Marshall, hearing that his amit went to town each day to make money, whis-

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LADY TENNYSON.

Good gnardian at the side of him Who dared primoval paths along, Sweet whisperer of visions dim That he hath sung in bolder song,

Oh, best interpreter of love, Oh, wife, the hard's incarnate muse, What beauties we had known not of, We at hopefulness were doomed to loss

Hadst thou not stood like you still star, The zenith to his post eyes, Highest above the things that are, And loveliest in lovely skies!

How shall we count thy glory less That thou wert flint unto his fire? That he in fine fantastic dress Hath clothed the dreams theu didst inspire

Ob. faithful watcher of the flame, Veiled virgin at the vestal shrine, Then shall we twin his lofty fame And call his song a song of thine!

Then cut the marble, twine the bay,

And place this token at her feet: "She sang not in a lesser way, That it was still and low and sweet, "She same not less that it was low.

But sang her song to one quick ear, And would not that the world should know And yet, ati, all the world shall hear.' -Mary Hope Cross in New York Sun.

The Monkey and the Horses. A coachman who for many years had been in charge of a large stable anything like permanent fear. He large house in Norfolk, where they sions of the stalls. On the first disturbance in the stable, the horses monkey, apparently asleep on its disturbance began again, and this time, slipping quietly up, he drew a pair of steps to one of the windows. and, as the moon was shining brightly, had a view of the interior. The monkey was the source of terror.

It was amusing itself by a steeplechase along the whole length of the division of the stall to a horse's back any strange living object which Perhaps for borses "the devil" is anything which they cannot under-

stand.—London Spectator. His Only Joke.

John Anthon, who lives in law libraries between the covers of an old calfskin treatise labeled "Authon's Nisi Prius," was a gentleman of solemn visage, solemn mien and solemn address while at the bar. But he was known in a moment of impatience to be once funny. Opposed to a lawyer named Edmund J. Porter, he began his address to the jury by saying, "Now, gentlemen, I shall ask your aid to bottle up Porter," who quickly responded, "If they do, I shall foam,"—Green Bag.

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SHREDDED CORNSTALES.

b There a Market For Corn Hay?" What

Hay Dealers Say. The question was asked and answered got long since in the columns of The Rurai New Yorker, "Is there a market for shreaded stalks?" A Buffalo dealer said that his experience with corn buy had not been very satisfactory, for the in sound condition. Another wholesale dealer writes: "We know of no market for corn hay." The comstalks are of it unpracticable to open a market for this product while hay is so low." A hay dealer in New York city said: There is no quotation on baled cornstalks, and, although we are constantly in touch with the bay trade, we have never handled them; neither can we say

what they are worth." From Cincinnati came the reply: There is no market here whatever for the shredded corn fodder. A few cars were sent to this market last year, but were disposed of with great difficulty. Feeders in this section don't want this kind of forage when they can get hay so cheaply. We do not think that a demand could be worked up for it."

A hay dealer writing from St. Louis said: "Corn hay of the crop of 1895 has been handled in a limited way in this market, bur it did not seem to take with the trade, and none has been offered here this year, owing to the very low condition of the market on timothy and prairie hay. "

From Montreal comes the report that corn bay is not quoted and is unknown to the trade of that city.

Microbe Farming.

It is now well established that certain nacteria enuble clover, alfaifa, peas, beans and other legumes to utilize nitrogen of the air that otherwise would not be available. By growing these of valuable carriage horses gave the crops to plow under or to feed stock writer some curious instances of the farmers avoid buying nitrogen in fertinervous filusions of herses. Once lizers for some crops, and this means an only did he find a whole stable in immense saving of money. The trouble has been that the breeds or species of had taken ten carriage horses to a crops are not always present in the soil, nitrogen bacteria that thrive on certain and this accounts for many a failure of stood in a line in a tea stalled stable. clover seed to "catch" well. Months There was a tame monkey in the ago The New England Homestead sugstable, very quiet, which slept ungested that soon cultures of nitrogen chained, sitting on one of the divi- bacteria adapted to each crop might be on the market, and now it is announced night, about 11 o'clock, he heard a that such cultures have been placed on the market in Germany. The material is called "nitrogino" and is being carestamping and kicking and very fully tested at the Gottingen experiment uneasy. He got a light, entered the station. In our own country efforts have stable and found them all "in a been made at the Illinois station to cross muck sweat." Nothing which could the clover root and corn root bacteria in disturb them was there except the hopes of breeding a hybrid microbe that, while possessing the ability to take perch. He quieted the horses, looked up nitrogen from air, would also thrive the door and went away. Soon the on the corn root, and thus enable the crop to feed freely upon atmospheric nitrogen.

Competition of Western Butter.

Competition of western butter is constantly on the increase. In Iowa there are nearly 1,000 butter factories. Minnesota was solely a wheat country a few years ago, but now has ever 500 creameries. Many factories have been estabtable, leaping alternately from the lished within a few years by creamery sharks on a watered stock basis in localor head, then off on to the next rail ities where farmers were ignorant of Gardening for women is engaging at is easyish to be afraid of taking cold. and so on. The horses were trem- dairying and were deceived by golden ention in Germany, and a horiz alteral On the contrary, to value your health bling with fright, though many of tales of creamery profits. Such enterschool for girls and women is about to and take all reasonable means to protect the opened at Berlin. The principal is it is a piece of wisdom that shows not cally manliness but an admirable intelligence. One way boys, and girls, too, any of them, and their panic was any well asfallshed grammer in Ohio. backs. Yet the monkey had not hurt any of them, and their panic was clearly the result of illusion. Old fashioned people used to identify good butter. Attention has been called to such a factory in Barton county, Kan., frightened them with "the devil." where the average output is about half a ton of butter per day. Only a few years back that section imported much and by adding a gailon of strong vinegar of the little butter it consumed. All or a little "mother" to each barrel. our western country can be adapted to There are other methods by which the dairying, and with low freight rates process may be hastened still more, western butter can compete with that of the middle states, says Amorican

Agriculturist.

New Idea In Tree Planting. A new and useful idea in tree planting circles is that which comes from a Colorado tree planter. It is with reference to the digging of the holes for receiving the trees, which, as all practical tree planters know, is one of the most laborious and particular duties connected with the undertaking. The new idea in this connection consists simply in the use of dynamite. A sharp crowbar is that the hedge is much more desirable brought into requisition for probing than the wire fence, since so much damdown to the depth of three or four feet. I age is annually done to live stock by the when a half or whole stick of dynamite, with cap and fuse attached, is placed at ! the bottom. Fine dirt is first placed on faction to know that the hedge fence the dynamite and when nearing the top | could not be blown down. There are is tamped solidly. Set fire to the fuse, I still many miles of hedge in this county, and the dynamite will quickly do the and if well kept it is ornamental and rest. —Exchange.

Fall Plowing.

As to the importance of full plowing, I think fall plowing is one of the most we all sleep. Mrs. F. L. Traphagen, necessary things a famor can do, and the earlier the better, as it kills all the weeds. However, here in southern Iowa during the last five or six years we have raised better crops from spring plowing. But fall plowing helps the farmer along in the spring of the year. He can disk it up, and it is ready to plant much earlier, can get in a larger crop, secure a better seed bed and work it much better than spring plowing.

Cheese Without Rind.

A company of Titles manufacturers. it is told, make a cheese that is so put up that no rind can form over it. The cheese is made square and is coated with a thin ceas of shellae, which is from the hoop. These cheeses cure per-

SHREDDED FODDER.

Cost of Shredding (Bon hts Divided) Storing the hodder.

Since the michigant of an hadring and fodder thredaing martings there are some things to be learned by those who expect to try the new way of thisposing of the earn even. Farmers approciate labor saving machinery, but they must be satisfied that the husker and shredder will save lakar. Elech farmer knows about all the time and labor involved when handling folder in the nenal way. Here is what an Ohioan talk about the new methods in a letter to the female sex. I would like to exto The Practical Farmer. He says: I press my gratitude for what your Vegereason that the shipments did not arrive; had a busher hast winter that, with five men, husked 280 hushels in one day. We used three teams and rhois, each not then know the cause of dreadful driver indoacing his own load. One such a nature that they will heat very man assisted in the field and one atquickly after being baled, and we think | tended the folder in the new. Rail pens were built at the side of the mu-A chine, into which the elevator dropped; the fodder. The price paid for husking was 4 cents par bushel.

The analyses of corn and fodder at the experiment stations prove that there is as much solid food in fodder as in carp. 'a-bed. I was so distressed to find my-The new way places the fedder in the best possible shape for feeding in racks or mangers, and it is much more pleasant to handle. A small mow will hold 75 per cent more shredded fodder than bandled. The work was all done in a day-something in favor of the women. A little extra help for one day is far better than to have men to board and do for the old way.

The main point is in storing the fodder so that it will come out of the movor stack bright and clean. Fodder is the most difficult of all forage crops to cure in the mow. I have known bundled feelder to spoil in the mew. Shielded fedder should not be tramped or packed closely. Cut fodder will pack more closely than shredded and is therefore

more likely to spoil or mold. I have cured fodder in different ways. I took hoards 8 inches wide and made square boxes, boring holes through every four feet, making them as long as the width of mow. After filling the mow four feet deep lay on several boxes, fill again, then a few more boxes, until the mow is full. The boxes let out the heat and moisture and let the air in, and in cannot spoil. If cut at proper time, it is equal to timothy hay for horses, if cats are fed with it. Gows like it, and sheep thrive on it. A good way to feed it, for cows especially, is to put it in a barrel with chop sprinkled through it and pour a kettle of hot water over it. Throw a cover over it to hold the steam in. None of it will be left in the feed trough.

Some ventilate by putting a layer of oats, straw or hay every few feet through the mow, making, like the Irishman's pig, "a strake of fat and a strake of lean." There are many cows in Ohio that would like such feed this winter and would thrive on it and pay for it in extra milk and butter.

In baling and shipping fodder it should be baled as soon as shredded and shipped direct to consumer, who should cut the wires and throw in a loose pile. If possible, ventilate with boards or rails. If the weather is dry and cold. there is not much danger. If it has gone through the sweat before baling, it may do to go on the market the same as hay and will be handled by our commission merchants who deal in hay, grain, etc. It will never be as safe a keeper, baled, as hay or straw, because of its liability to draw dampuers.

Making Cider Vinegar.

First have a good, strong iron hooped barrel. Next have good apple eider. Cover the bungholes with musquito netting or other material that will keep not foliage and the West for Chicago and the We place in which to make vinegar. To hasten fermentation occasionally turn the cider out of one barrel into another, thus exposing it more fully to the air, such as trickling it through beech chips or shavings, but these are hardly to be recommended, for those who are content to wait on the natural process rarely fail to find themselves amply repaid through the higher value of their prod-

A Word For Hedges.

Osage orange hedges are being discarded since the advent of the barbed wire fence. An Illinois correspondent of The Orange Judd Farmer thinks this is a mistake. He writes: It is my opinion that the hedge is much more desirable than the wire fence, since so much damage is annually done to live stock by the sharp barbs. With the frequent wind storms of recent years it was a satisfaction to live storms of recent years it was a satisfaction to live storms of recent years it was a satisfaction to live years it was a satisfaction. will last for many years. The cest of pruning is not very much and can be done when other work is not pressing. Severe windstorms are of frequent occurrence in the prairie states and damnge almost any kind of fence except nedge.

Alfalfa For Butter Making.

The cheapest feed for butter making ticulars of which are given in bulletin Pittsburg, Pa, for desired informa-No. 48, sent free to all applicants. The tion on the subject. cows which were the largest eaters per 1,000 pounds, live weight, were, without exception, the largest and most economic producers.

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Red House, Va." This case is a good illustration of perseverance and faith. Mrs. Hamlet's sickness was severe, it took courage and patience to master the disease, but in good time the Compound produced the happy result as it will always do. The more difficult the case, however, the longer it will take to cure itmany women lose courage before the medicine has time to thoroughly "take hold " of the system.



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ABOUT PROPLE.

Been or Are Going.

in the city to-day on official business.

Mrs. J. E. Watts will leave to-mor-

ow for Washington C, H. to visit

D. J. O'Day returned last night

George Greenless, of 158 south

Pine street, removed his family to

Ex-County Commissioner John Am-

dutz, of Bluffton, called on his court

Mrs. N. E. Matthews, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Ed L. Vale, of Commbus

Oharles and Will Nirengarten, of

Monticello, Ind are the guests of

Mr. and Mrs. John Nirengarten, of

Don Baxter, who has been in Da-

Mrs. V J. Love returned last

night to her home in Toledo, after a

visit with Mrs. Chas. Lipfert, of

Mrs. James Mell, of Pearl street,

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TALES OF THE TOWN.

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Richards & Co. are repapering and remodeling their business room at No. 10 public square.

M. Keres of this city, has associsated himself with Wm. Shea, of Sidney, in the sale of monuments.

On last Saturday M. Kerns rer oved the bodies and monuments of the father and daughters of Thos. Downey from St Rose cemetery to Gethsemani.

In the paragraph published yesterday giving the names of those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs G. M. Sprague, at dinner Monday evening, the name of Mr. Harold Standish was inadvertently omitted. Covers were laid for ten guests: Mr and Mrs. Wm. Irish, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Seymour, Miss Helen Coss, Miss Gail Bates, Mr. Standish and Mr. Tucker.

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Husbands

Who are laying awake nights trying ing faithfully to give out of town to decide what to get for presents to exhibitions along gymnastic lines. wives Christmas, need only to visit Their work as a class has been meri-Harman's art rooms, and after that torious in the past, and this year than'il sleep the sleep of the happy they have decided to branch out to physical or phychical phenomena. and contented.

Kid Mittens and Kid Gloves. make good presents. Feltz's always have good values.

monthly Meeting.

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of Trinity M. and everybody welcome.

Umbrella Palace.

Special sale to-day fine plants from 4 inch pote, only 14c each, at Swan's.

Antelope Steaks

and Rabbits at Kissel's.

osophical Society.

Two Logical Papers Presented-A Lively Funeral Services of Switchman Slauson Discussion Follows-Dr. Sheeban Speaks By Request -- A Test Challenge.

The Lima Philosophical Society at | name, of medium.

spiritualism.

The circuit court room was crowd- the A. B. U. and Eric employes. ed and in the room many persons were standing who could not secure a the Maccabees, wearing regalia, seat. The greater part of the society escorted the remains to the C., H. & Who They Are, Where They Have was present when President Prophet D. depot, where the family left at called the meeting to order and in- 12:45 o'olock, taking the remains to D. J. Cable returned this morning Judge Linderman, of Delphos, was the roll.

pointed to prepare a paper in support when they arrive at Mt. Vernon the organization will in no way conflict of the doctrine, but was unavoidably Maccabee tent of that place will take with the original barber's union, but absent from the city, and Mr. G. M. charge of the remains and conduct on the contrary will operate in con-John Lenihan, of Keystone, Ind., the paper, the language of which was held there to-morrow.

Sprague, acting as his proxy, read the funeral services, which will be junction with the Journeymen Bar bers' Union. The latter organization s visiting his mother and sisters, of good and the sentences well formed;

Mr. Sprague, before beginning to read the paper, said he desired to make a statement as he wished not freight trains through this city yes. to be misinterpreted as being a terday, a very satisfactory increase believer in spiritualism, but on the over the business of any previous day other hand, he was a thorough dis- in the past month. The Grand Rapbeliever in it. He said that strange ids & Indiana also reports an increase physical and psychical phenomenace- in freight, with bright prospects for cur frequently which science so far further improvement with the adhas not accounted for, but in the future it would furnish a theory just as it had done in the past for phenomena that seemed strange and inexplicable.

That a great number of the socalled mediums were frauds, was admitted by Mr. Taylor.

He said that such well known organizations as the London Society of Research had thoroughly investigat- Marys by way of Newport and Loraed the subject, and that such men mies. The contract was made with Ben of tan shoes. It happened that both as Emerson, Wallace and other Coulson of Sidney, who will do the learned philosophers had studied work for \$325. It calls for the work from the same store and, Mr. Harlit from a scientific a philosophers his father's taterests there, returned learned philosophers had studied it from a scientific a philosophical to be done at once. Mr. Coulson has men, without noticing that the exstandpoint. He ascribed to the will siready commenced on the lin.— change had been made, tucked the the power of producing much of the Piqua Dispatch. strange phenomena, and ventured the assertion that the power of the from the floor and be suspinied in the date to sell at foreclosure sale could conceive how the toke had been the sir. This force Mr. Taylor called the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw. will might cause a table to be raised derstand it. We have so arranged and Mrs. Minnie Firguson and daughthe air. This force Mr. Taylor called the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw. Gargiving of tickets that whatever ter Olive Edith, of North street, are Levitation, the power of which The sale is to take place at Van work in direct opposition to that Wert, O.

of gravitation. Various names have been given to the peculiar power as displayed in spiritualism. Baron Von Reichen-Physical Education Department bach called it Ode, theosophists call but as J. B. Townsend, representative nent commander: it Akasa, while others have called it of the road, was unable to attend and William Melville, eminent com-

doubtedly brings the game up to the highest standard among indoor sports. Entries for this game will be hoped from the 9th to the 9t open from the 9th to the 23rd, inclu- was absurd and beyond the bounds of sive, of this month. Only regular reason: Voice was produced by the members of respective classes in this vibrations of the vocal chords caused department are eligible. No excuses by an exhalation of air from the lungs. will be accepted if careless individu- He showed that the theory of levitaals fail to enter within the next two tion was not based on tenable grounds both useful and ornamental, and will weeks. If you are not a member as but was diametrically opposed to all laws of nature advocated by all phi-losophers and scientists from Adam to the present time. The fact that mendable prior to the basket ball the scances are given in darkness shows that it cannot bear the light The scheme of organization is this: of investigation. He related the ex-Cartains, to be appointed by the gym committee will constitute the execuperience of himself and some of his friends who had been in spiritualistic tive committee in choosing their offimeetings, and who had exposed them. cials, etc., in their respective classes. But their testimony was discredited, Special mention is due to the senior while that of the manium was be-

lieved. When Mr. Adgate had finished his paper Dr. Mattison said that he believed the reason so many believed was from the natural desire man to know something of those loved ones who have left us and of the future conditions. He believed that these peculiar manifestations could be attributed to

Judge Richie then presented a pa per, and advocated the theory that all Christian believers are necessarily Spiritualists. He substantiated his theory by citing numerous biblical instances where a spirit spoke. It was further discussed by Rev. C. A. Hill, Dr. Morse, Rev. Eakhardt and Prof. Ackerman. Dr. Adah Sheehan was granted the floor, and replied to the arguments against Spiritualism, market and Elizabeth streets, this evening at 7 o'clock. A literary program will be rendered Scota for the last few days Our stock in the last few days O gram will be rendered. Seats free in the last few days. Our stock is said he had only expressed his belief, now complete with the choicest and stated that he was open to conthings, and you have the best selectivition, and offered Dr. Sheehan \$400 if she could produce a medium tion now. Gords may be stored away who could raise a table or some material policet one foot above the floor, without a mechanical device.

> 7 O'clock this Evening, Auction at the Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 204 north Main street. 7 4t

and Maccabee Knights

Held This Morning-Remains Takeu to Mt. Vernon, O .- Local Railroad News.

Funeral services were held this its regular meeting last evening de- morning at 10 o'clock over the re- bers' Protective association, which into Silver's second-band store, at bated the question whether there are mains of Lewis W. Slauson, the un- was organized at Dayton is week Wayne and Union street, and while any rational grounds for a belief in fortunate C. H & D. switchman who with J. W. Hartzog and Sam Lober, one was trying to keep the proprie. Spiritualism, and for almost three was run down by a cut of cars in the of this city, president and one of the tor's attention at one end of the hours it was argued pro and con that C. H. & D. middle yards Saturday vice presidents respectively, was or many where she was pretending to the spirits of departed friends could night, and died from the effects of ganized in this city last night, with select a fur cape, the other appointed and do return to this world and speak his injuries Sunday afternoon. The a membership of some twenty bos- or her-e f receiver of a pair of opera to their earthly friends through an services were held at the residence proprietor barbers individual to whom is attributed the on St. Johns avenue, by Rev. Miller, of the Spring street Lutheran church, The different phases of the subject and was largely attended, the mem- branch was organized by Sam Lober, Proprietor Silver saw the act, how. were set forth, and arguments by bers of the local lodge of Maccabees these baving faith in this and A. B. U., of which orders the state association, is an authorized better "put them down or the theory were earnestly presented, deceased was a member, being in at- organizer. The organization was might fall on the floor and get broke. while on the other hand those who tendance together with a large num- permanently formed by electing the were skeptical or had no faith in the ber of railroad men. Beautiful floral following officers: doctrine vehemently attacked the pieces were furnished by the mem-arguments advanced in behalf of bers of the C., H. & D. night yard ident, John Baney; Secretary and cape, both hastly left the stop. force, the Knights of the Maccabees,

After the services the Knights of called the meeting to dider and the structed Secretary Downward to call Mt. Vernon, Ohio, for interment. At the coll Mr. C. W. Taylor had been ap- the Maccabees of that place, and the

> FREIGHT BUSINESS PICKING UP. The Pittsburg road had nineteen vance of the winter months.

THE SIDNEY ELECTRIC ROAD.

The Piqua, Sidney and St. Marys along. The second assessment on pany made a contract for the survey proprietor quietly exchanged the box of the line between Sidney and St.

January 5 has been decided on as

THE LIMA NORTHERN PROJECT.

Basket Ball to be Resumed.

The time is approaching when basket ball will have its proper place in the local association games. The time local association games. The trules have been revised, which understand the local association games are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the local association games. The revised will be a local association games. The rules have been revised, which understands are the situation, after some discussion the meeting adjourned till same; C. E. Lamphier, captain generalises. Monday next, at the armory. At present it is impossible to state any option as to the matter. Without some definite proposition as to where the local association games.

A HEATED DEBATE | FLORAL TRIBUTES | AMONG THE ORDERS

bers' Association

Boyat Arcanum Elects Officers and Shaw use Commandery Installs Officers-Councilman Marmon the Vietim of a Joke.

A branch union of the Boss Bar-

Dixon's barber shop, and the local the balloon sleeves of her jacket. who, by virtue of his office in the ever, and told the woman she had

President, G. L. Hicks; Vice Pres-Treasurer, W. S. Alexander; Finan-cial Secretary, P. J. Semon; Trustees. John Shoup, John Baney and Fred C. Banks.

The chief object of this new organization is the advancement and elevation of the trade by keeping out, to as great an extent as possible, store at Newark, O. Revolvert, 12 unskillfol workmen ın all tonsorial profession.

ciation is formed exclusively of boss barbers.

The meeting last night was an ecthusiastic one, and another session will be held at Ferton & Dixon's state against Williams, one of the shop, December 15, at which all local poss barbers are earnestly requested to be in attendance.

Yesterday, city councilman Harmon, of the Second ward, bought a new pair of shoes, and after his purchase was wrapped up he took the bunelectric railway is being pushed right die and called at another place of business and laid the box of shoes upon the stock is being paid very rapidly. a counter. During a moment when This week the directors of the comfor one that he had under the counter containing an old, worn out pair old shoes under his arm and hastened away to his own place of business to don the new shees. Then he had to Buy Clothes at Your Own Price think hard for some time before be

At the Masonic Hall last night, the following officers recently elected The railroad meeting at the opera installed, the installing officer being purchase for a Christmas present installed, the installing officer being purchase for a Christmas present by the Knights Templar, were duly house last evening was well attended, Mr. G. W. Myers, the retiring emi-

POLICE NEWS.

Under the Auspices of the Phil- From Brother Railroad Men Local Branch of the Boss Bar- A Shoplifter Caught Stealing Opera Glasses.

A Pique Man Arrested on Suspicion b Patrolman Seeds - Bodkin and Tuitle Dismissed in Justice Atmur's Court.

A day or two ago two women well

giasses, which she took from the The meeting was held at Fenton & show window and slipped into one of

> The woman returned the glasses to the window, and go the other sudden ly decided that she didn't went a fer Patrolman Phil Goebel was of

duty last night on account of filness Patrolmen Creteinger and Seed patroled his beat. The police have received notice of the burglary of D. L. Jones bardware

zors and knives were the principa The articles stolen.

The laterior of the police station is receiving a new walnecoting Capt. Bell and police delective Ro ney are the chief carpenters and Ser geat Watts is foreman and painter. Sergesut Waste and narrolmen Goebel, Conwa) and O Brien will a

to Celina to night on L. E. & W train 3 to testify in the case of the Backtord robbers. A stranger, giving his name a Faust and claiming to be from Piqua

was arrested on suspicion last migh by patrolman Seeds. He gave a vergood account of himself to Chief Bel this morning and was permitted to depart. Joseph Hyland, the man with man aliases and a parener of the man Le

Roy Harris, who got a 5 year sen tence for forging a postoffice more order, has been sentenced in United States court at Co'umbus to a tern of 6 years in the Ohio penitentiary The police bave not seen Chas

Wagner, the Chicago man wh claimed to have been knacked down

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at the Bankrupt Clothing Sale, on door south of Watson's grocery. Aug tion every evening.

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